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Peremptory measures have been when by the bealth authorities to suspthe spread of the disease, and the local : marief leadth has been greatly as three by specialists sent here from the fours heard of bealth and from the prior best to department of the United intergreenment. All these agencies by them for the fature.

humani ar the milk and income upply was suspented from the first. PROTEIN THESE THESE THESE TAKES TO ESTATE use. As impection of farms of the and resided is the absolute their of several, soil the placing of deputy electifs on grand. The sale of its organ was absolutely prohibited में केंद्र टोड़ Wil the establishment was about and Missener stationed at both the main Fore and the Broadway branch, the tunione later being destroyed. A local

प्रशासन प्रथा शेक शेक्स्य को ह्वानीसी Series being busy in the wich of Emphise the contagion, the local tours अंदे के स्थल्पति से संबंधित है जिसे भर्द Paison The expectly of the digittherit word at the Newport Hospital FR quickly exceeded, and the Emerfeng hospital on Maple areans was प्रशास्त्री तेया कार व्यक्त स्थान क्षित्र तेया विभाग ರಿಯೇ ಭೀಟು ಔಷ ಚಿಟ್ಟು ಗೌಡರ ಚಿಕ್ಕ ಪಾನ್ರವಲೆ Descriment of the party offered the use of their diphtheria ward at the Naval Bespiel, and this was glady assepted. his hast restorn some of the mount in the Copposition bodies indeed on Vin lang erenne were made over into & pullery ring the first brigate mate son there. Nurses had to be obtained For our of them to date for the many ಲಕ್ಷ ಚಾರ್ಚ ಕಾರೈ ಮಕ್ಕಾರ ಎಂ. ಇನ್ನೇ ಸಹ ಚಾರತೀಚ to the excipt for patients temanding a men homes.

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The Bridge Staff. the street of the second and surface and second for the second second for the second s Specialis instanción de ambientos renormalized frameworky to a country that the state of th amountaine. An animizerary builden teamann placed upon the executions! possesses by requesty was man destrict to robust to a physical exami-135.55, to matter how plainly be might he complete from the deaft. However, THE MENCURY PUBLISHING CO the task of examining the first men called has been completed and another batch have been a manufed to report ; next Menday in order that enough men may be recured to complete Hewport's 450.14.

The best toard has been very conedetably hardinapped by the lack of augulies that should have been sent out from State beodyparters, and which falled to arrive when model. Some printed forms were especially needed, and an appeal was made to the Mesoner office to come to the resone in a righ, and the printed matter was produced nien under.

Your fill man had been called by the local local for the first examination, and the percentage granting the neceseary physical examination was very good. However, the number acknowledging their nillinguess to respond to the sail without elainfux exemption was smaller than had been hoped for. Time found physically disqualified will have another medical examination, to verify the first report, and then will be discharged. These elaining exemption on the ground of having dependent families will have their cases considered by the knal boards, and the decision will rest on the efficients expressed by personal investigation in many cases. Pail announcement has been made of three claiming exemption on these grounds, so that friends and neighbore have opportunity to see what reasons ere effered, and it is moted that in the hat are some men wan have been manried within a few weeks. It is probable that the toard will exempt those men who have real grounds for demanding exempties, but will call many into service who think that they may be discharged. The men have a right of appeal to the district leards, and also the Covernment has a right to appeal in the case of any man whom they feel has been uscettizilj exempted.

The district board for this selection district ecceists of John S. Holbrook, tizirman, (Lawrence A. Grace, secre tery, Willem R. Herrey, Dr. M. B. Miles and Joseph A. Penkham. This icerd will not only pass on appeals from the decirious of the local boards tut will also have the decision in the case of exemption claims for industrial suching in ossignation have account the local locards have nothing to do by up the present epidemic but it lay been put in by Newporters on the grows of government work at the various stations here, and their claims will generally be sudared by the commanding officers of the various stations who feel that they need every man they now have, in all departments. On the other hand, other departments at Washington have antonneed that they will not try to withhold their employes except in certain cases and for current reasons.

Artiflery Company to Drift Drafted Hea.

The Newport Artillery Company, Col. A A Burker in exemend, offer to drill all defied that free of charge. The delle will begin next Monday night at the Armory. This Company has always performed good service in all the wars ni bearescen ceed and vriance tife take रिक्ट के लेवे French कर्त कियान प्रधान की carry 1700 down to and through the Spanish-American was. It is proposed betinger near east this or glas ton wing. the this was but to rectall the Com-हार के के हिंदी कार्यंत्र of केल्प्स प्रकेष परि nes be exceed for this war, in order for impediate posteriors of the city and state in case of insurrection or other Bermidance. The National Guard bas mused to exist and it is doubtful if it is ever called into being again. For home renderthan the State most depend upon the independent chartered organiza-rous. The Light Infancy of Providence has recruited up to five hundred men. The Artifers Company shirl's tands a ni berbnud im teael te swat

The first account safe of local stocks the same transition took place in front of the National Exchange Bank on Mon-San whomb' shares of National Ex-change Rank over sold to Edward A. Morey et Son. Ten et eres of the light Country were a Robert to Charge and see to Color Long at \$18 in each case.



The Banner of the Stars!

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Our or took a Yerkee banner, sign of Freedom to the World!

Capar.

We'll reser have a new flag, for ours is the true flag. The true flag, the frue flag, the Red, White and Elve flag; Hurrah! Love, hurrah! We will carry to the ware The old flag, the free flag, the Banner of the stare!

And what though its white shall be crimsoned with our blood?
And what though its stripes shall be shreeled in the stornes?
To the torn flag, the worn flag, we'll keep our practice good,
And we'll bear the starry blue field, with gallant hearts and arms.

We'll never have a new flag, &c.

Then, corred be he who would strike our Starry Flag!
May the God of Hosts be with us, as we smite the traitor down!
And corred be he who would besitate or lag
Till the dear flag, the fair flag, with Victory we crown.

We'll never have a new flag, &c.

Presentation to Coast Artillery.

One of the most impressive speciacles ever zeen in Newport book place last Bunday afternoon on the grounds of the Polo Club when three regiments of Coast Artiflery were presented with flags and field music instruments by zeveral of the prominent residents of Remport in the presence of an immense gathering of citizens. Had the field been nearer the city, the attendance world have been even greater, as many hundreds of persons who would have liked to have seen the ceremony had no means of transportation for such a distance.

The regiments that were the recipients of the gifts are those that have been accombling here for transportation to France. It was learned that none of the three regiments was equipped with held music nor flags, and a quick movement was started to provide them. Covernor and Mrs. Beackman agreed to supply the flage and Mrs. John Nicholas Brown, Mrs. Whitney Warren and Mrs. William Greenough supplied the field muzic, which included 85 bugles, 24 enace drome and three base drums. The markets of New York and Boston had to be scoured to assemble these instroments at the required time.

As 2000 az the gifts were arranged for plans were made for a public presentation, but it was late Saturday afternoon before they could be matured. Although the parties in charge would have preferred a place nearer the city, it was found impossible to secure a large enough field except the Polo Grounds. The people began gathering there in the early afternoon, although the bour set for presentation was 4.30. Every form of vehicle was pressed into service, and many persons walked over, so that by the time the troops arrived, the field was packed on both sides with automobiles, in some places being three

deep, The three regiments awang onto the field in soldierly fashion and lined up in columns of battalions, stretching the entire length of the field. As soon as all were in readiness, with the commanding officers in front, Mrs. Beeckman, Mrz. Vanderbilt, Mrz. Warren and Mrs. Greenough advanced to the esch regi William Greenough made a short address of presentation, after which three bugles were presented by three ladies and Mrs. Beeckman presented the American flag. A short speech of thanks was make by the Colonel of each regiment, after which the flags were turned over to the color sergeant and the bugies sounded the salute to the colors, while all stood at salute. The same ceremony was gone through with in each case for each of the three regi-

Following the presentations, the taree regiments passed in review before Brigadier General George T. Bartlett, the commanding officer, in front of the Club house, and then swung off the field for the march back to the Fort. It was bot and dusty marching, but the men were in light marching order, and sweez along at a route step that are up the distance rapidly. The men looked fice and fit and were trained to splendid military efficiency, so that when they marched past in review they were beartily applanted.

There is a possibility that the regiments may parade in this city before departing for France, but the diphtheris cuarantine, and the uncertainty of their departure, make this an open possibility,

The angual session of the Grand Army of the Republic will open in Bostenion Aug. 19. The big day of the Convention will be Tuesday the 21st, when the grand parade will take place. The Grand Army men of Newport will te well represented.

Ex-Senator Geo. R. Lawten, wife and daughter, of Tiverton, are on a matter trip through the mountains of New Hampshire and Vermont,

WEDDING BELLS.

Crane-Langley.

The marriage of Miss Grace Champlin Langley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Langley, and Mr. Francis Justin Crane, son of Rev. and Mrs. Arthur H. Crane, took place at the regidence of the bride's parents on Hope street on Thursday evening, in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. The house was attractively decorated with palms and flowers, a floral altar being placed in the music room where the ceremony took place.

The bridal gown was of cream colored charmenre with court train, and a long veil caught up with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Mary Austin was the maid of honor and the brideemuids were Misres Margaret Haire, Carol Parmenter, Majel Parmenter and Avis Robinson. The groom was attended by his brother, Judge Henry Crane of Plainfield, N. J., az best man, and the ushers were Messra. George B. Austin, William H. Langley, Jr., Russell Peckham and Edwin Barker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stanley C. Hughes,

A reception followed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Crane left on a short wedding trip. On their return they will live for a time with the bride's parents, pending orders to the groom to report for army duty. The date of the wedding was advanced nomewhat because of the fact that Mr. Crane is among the number called for early service in the National army.

Gen. Greene Memorial Association.

The annual meeting of the Gen. Nathaniel Greene Memorial Association was held at the Historical Society Rooms on Tuesday. There was a full representation present. Annual reports were read. That of the treasurer showed that the Memorial fund now amounts to \$5,283.80, which is invested in interest bearing bonds. The officers of the Association were elected as fol-Owa:

Prezident-Prof. Wilfred H. Munro. Viete Prezident-Col, William P. Sheffield.

Secretary emeritus-Henry N. A. Joslyn.
Recording Secretary-William C.

Treazurer-Mrs. Susan A. Ballou. Executive Committee-Arthur W. Dennie, Hamilton B. Tompkins, Charles

Trustee to 1922—Ex-Governor Charles Dean Kimball.

John Risbrough Hammett.

Mr. John Risbrough Hammett, one of Newport's oldest citizens, died at his horr e on Golden Hill street on Tuesday in his pinety-first year. For some time he had suffered from the infirmities of age, although he had been able to get out occasionally until recently. He was a carpenter and builder and followed his trade as long as his strength would remit.

He had been a member of the United Congregational Church for nearly fifty years and for 39 years had served as deacon, being elected deacon emeritus last January. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Ida Hammett, who lived

The Tiverton police have installed one Newporter pleading not guilty and giving bail for appearance for trial. The victims came from many parts of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Mayor Clark Burdick reviewed the apprentice seamen at the weekly drill at the Training Station on Wednesday, this honor being tendered him by Commander Johnston.

Newport Improvement Association 1

the Read are Imperiored to Association to the Court of th s have a hour to the Hysichelshot. ever extractive or a late of the best of a man or between the straining of a time. The meeting work had not the even conthe News at Hilbornesi Society, President Lawrence L. Gitte ple 1. Siling.

Mr. Frederick P. Garretts r. chales maked the exactive cornainer, was quable take present, and the Assurbs tion did not enforce his project of going to the Supreme Court to ascertain the exact rights and ownership in the Cliff Walk. Instead, the speakers all thought that the question should be allowed to rest, but that some means should be taken to secure repairs to the Cliff Walk where they were urgently needed, and also to secure adequate police protection. A new Cliff Walk committee was appointed, consisting of John du-Fais, Charles Warren Lippitt, William P. Sheffield, Horace P. Beck, and Mrs. Charles Frederick Hoffman,

A request was received from the Civic League asking the Association to inderse its request for better lighting in the parks. Colonel Willard, chair nan of the park commission, explained hat this matter was up to that body, that improvements had stready been made, and that the commission would sak for a larger appropriation for more lights.

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At the monthly meeting of the board of aldermen on Tuesday evening, there was not a great deal of business for consideration aside from the approval of the monthly bills. On recommendation of the committee appointed to draft resolutions on the death of Rear Admiral Stephen B. Luce, the resolutions which they presented were adopted and an engressed copy was ordered to be cent to the family.

Bills were approved and ordered paid from the several appropriations as follows:

Board of Health City Asylum Pire department 635 16 609 51 Highway department Police department Poor department Public parks Public Schools Agassiz fund Townsend fund Playgrounds Mayor's office City treasurer Тах ангевеого Tax collector City solicitor City physician Probate clerk City engineer
Building Inspector
Inspector of plumbing
Inspector of nuisances
Advertising
City Hall
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At the weekly meeting of the board on Thursday evening, a request was received from the board of health, asking that a meeting of the representative council be called to make appropriations for the expenses of the diphtheria epidemic, and also to enact some new ordinances to prevent similar occurrencés in the future. The board voted to call a meeting of the council for August 20.

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Other business transacted was largely of a routine nature, including the approval of bills and payrolls. The matter of amoke nuisance on the city dumps was talked over, but the matter was laid on the table until the next meeting. A number of ordinances for presentation to the representative council will be considered by the board next week.

Mrs. Charles S. Packer of Seattle. Wazhington, is spending a few days in several very effective auto traps in that this city, visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Alton town, and last Sunday a number of Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Packer Braspeeding autoists were captured and man. She will start back for Seattle ordered to report in Newport on next Monday going by way of Denver. Wednesday. When they assembled This is Mrs. Packer's first trip to the here, all paid fines with one exception, Fact for ten years and before a wine East for ten years, and before coming to Newport she spent some little time at her o'd home in Maine.

The police have had a good deal of minor business to attend to this week, largely having to do with violations of the automobile law : A large number of autolite have paid substantial fines | were delivered a few minutes after 2,00 for infractions of the law. Several o'clock so that the work of the board



PORTSMOUTH.

(Uromeen West, in Corp. (pondents)

Mrs. Abdence Have met with a serious accident this week. She was in Fall River to visit her daughter when she fell down a long flight of stairs. She had a chair in her hand and this was broken to pieces. Mrs. Davol was terribly shaken and bruised, but no bones were broken. She has been cohfined to her bed from the effects.

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Mrs. Constant W. Chase is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry DeBlois of New-

Mrs. Henjamin C. Sherman is ill with bronchitts.

A committee of five was appointed to investigate the matter of burying the wires, consisting of Frederick P. Garrettson, Frank M. Wheeler, Max Levy, J. L. Van Alen, and Dr. Roderick Terry. A committee on mosquitoes was created to consist of Dr. H. P. Beck, John P. Sanborn, Mrs. French Vanderbilt, Mrs. John Nicholas Brown, and Robert W. Goelet.

Board of Aldermen.

Miss Kate L. Durfee has been guest of Mrs. Cleveland of Fall Itiver.

Miss Anna Alger of New York, who is spending the summer in Newport, has been guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jethro J. Peckham.

Mr. George Barclay of Buffalo, N. Y., and Miss Mary Barclay of Providence have been guests of their stater, Miss Jean Barclay. Mr. William Barclay has secured a position as Inspector for the Pierce-Arraw Automobile Co. In

Miss Stella Dale, who has been visit-ing Mrs. Harry Dale and family has re-turned to her home in Jorsey City. She was accompanied by Miss Hazel Dale.

Mrs. Phebe Pray has been guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Thomas of Childs

Mr. and Mre. Arthur L. Fish of Watertown, Mass. are spending their va-cation with Mr. Fish's father, Mr. Lawrence Fish.

Several of the churches were closed on Sunday breause of the epidemic of diphtheria. St. Anthony's, St. Mary's, and St. Paul's churches held services and there were services at the Camp. Grounds until something happened to the electric lights during the evening and the place was left in darkness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Tallman have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coggeshall of Providence at "Cozy Corner,"

The men drafted for the U. S. Army weht to Bristol for the physical examination. Dr. Bryant of Tiverton was one of the examining physicians.

Mrs. Bertha Yeaw has been entertain-3294 54 | Smith of Providence.

The annual lawn party of the Metho-dist Episcopal Church was postponed indefinitely on account of the epidemic of diphtheria.

The Willing Workers held a sale re-

the willing workers need a saie re-cently on the lawn at the Frienda' par-sonage. A good sum was realized which will be devoted to war relief work. Among those who assisted were Annie Griffin, Flora Chase, Phebe Anthony, Alice Marz and Minnie Davol.

Mr. Frederic Babbitt, Miss Alice Marz, Mr. Milton Dennis and Clayton Gifford are among those suffering from diphtheria.

Mrs. S. A. Carter is helping to care for Mrs. Daniel Church of Tiverton,

Rush Printing for Draft Board.

The MERCURY Office had to come to the aid of the United States Government twice this week, in order that the work of the draft might not be interrupted. On Monday afternoon the supply of affidavit blanks for commanding officers of navy varde to fill out for men who are necessary for the operation of the plant, became exhausted and the MERCURY Office supplied new ones before the exemption board closed for the night, in spite of predictions that it could not be accomplished. Tuesday morning, the supply of

blanks for the examining physicians was completely exhausted, in spite of the fact that headquarters in I'royidence had promised to have more on hand at the opening of the office. The examiners could do nothing without the blanks, and again the Measurry Office was appealed to for a rush order, this time more imposing and more urgently needed than before. By putting five compositors on the work, the forms drunks have also enriched the treasury, | could go on during the afternoon.



Author of "The Spoilers," "The Iron Trail," "The Silver Horde," Etc.

CHAPTER VI.

Blaze Jones and His Neighbors.

Blaze Jones rode up to his front gate and dismounted in the shade of the big chony tree. He stepped back and ran an approving eye over another animal tethered there. Of course the youths of this day were nothing like the youths of his own, and yet—Blaze tet his gaze linger fondly on the highbred mare and her equipment here at least was a person who knew a good horse, a good saddle and a good gun.

As he came up the walk he heard Paloma laugh, and his own face lightened, for his daughter's merriment was contagious. Then as he mounted the steps and turned the corner of the "gallery" he uttered a hearty greeting, "Dave Law! Where in the world

did you drop from?"
Law uncolled himself and took the ranchman's hand, "Hello, Blaze! I been ordered down here to keep you

"Pshaw! Now who's been giving you orders, Dave?"
"Why, I'm with the Rangers,"

straight."

"Never knew a word of H. Last I beard you was fillbustering around with the Maderistas."

Blaze seated himself with a grateful sigh where the breeze played over him. He was a big, bearlike, swarthy man with the square-hown, deep-lined face of a tragedian, and a head of long, curly hair, which he were parted in a line over his left ear. Jones was a character, a local landmark. This part; of Texas had grown up with Blaze, tiver guards watched Lewis' ranch till and he possessed a splendid indiffer. the embargo was lifted, and they never ence to the artificial fads of dress. and manners. He was plainly an outdoor man.

wheat straw, "Well, you'd ought to wake a right able thicf-entcher, Dave, only for your size-you're too long for a man and you ain't long enough for a snake. Still, I reckon a thief would cause he's a 'galvanized Gringo' him-have trouble getting out of your reach, self-married a Mexican, you know." and once you got close to himmany men have you killed?"

"Counting Mexicans?" Law inquired with a smile.

"Nobody counts them,"

"Not many." "Not many."
"That's good." Blaze nodded and rellt his cigarette, which be had permitted promptly to smolder out. The force ain't what it was. Most of the guns, and give roin to the predilections of a vicious ancestry. They're bad gains, most of 'em."

"There aren't many," said Paloma, "Dave tells me the whole force has been cut down to sixteen."

"That's plenty," her father averred, "It's like when Cap'n Bill McDonald was sent to stop a riot in Pallas. He came to town alone, and when the citizens asked him where his men was he said 'Ain't I enough? There's only one riot.' Are you workin' up a case

Dave?"
"Um-m-yes! People are missing a lot of stock hereabouts,"

"It's these blamed refugees from the war! A Mexican has to steal something or he gets run down and nore nin't stock, it's something else,"

Dave Law's duties as a Ranger rested lightly upon him; his instructions we a varue, and he had a leisurely method of "working up" his evidence Since he knew that Plaze passessed a thorough knowledge of this section an its people, it was north husbness which had brought him to the Jones home this afternoon.

Strictly speaking, Blaze was not rancher. He had speculated heavily in raw lands, and for several years past he had devoted his energies to a gi gantic colonization scheme. It was no means a small operation to which he was engaged. The venture had taken foresight, courage, Infinite hard work; Biaze was burdened with responsibilities that would have broken down a man of weaker fiber.

But his pet relaxation was reminiscence. His own experience had been wide, he knew everybody to his part of the state, and although events in his telling were sometimes colored by his rich imagination, the information he could give was often of the greatas Dave Law knew.

After a time the latter said, casually, Tell me something about Tad Lewis. Blaze looked up quickly. "What do

"Anything. Everything."

tween here and Las Palmas." Blazo

Paloma broke out impatiently, "Why i don't you say what you think?" Then to Dave: "Tad Lewis Is a bad neighbor, and niways has been. There's a foul on his place, and we think he knows more about 'wet' cattle than be cures to tell."

"It's a good place to cross stock at

"You can't call Ed Austra one of our his continent; now that his daughter

best people," sharply objected Palouia, "They claim that arms are being smuggled across to the rebels, Dare, and, if it's true, Ed Austin-

"Now, Paloma," her father remon-strated mildly. "The regulars and the



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river guards watched Lewis' ranch till saw anything," "I believe Austin is a strong rebel sympathizer," Law ventured.

door man.

"So you're a Ranger, and got notches "Sure! And him and the news out on your gun." Blaze rolled and lit at fit are amigos. If you go pirodiction your gun." Blaze rolled and lit at fit are amigos. If you go pirodiction and Tad's place you're more in picture. to make yourself unpopular, Dave. I'd ktieve some to see you in a wooden kimono.' Tad's too well fixed to steal cattle, and if he runs arms it's be-

When mealtime drew near, both Jones and his daughter urged their guest to stay and dine with them, and Dave was glad to accept.

"After supper I'm going to show you our town," Blaze declared, "It's the finest city in south Texas, and growing like a weed. All we need is good farmers. Those we've got are mostly back-to-nature students who leaped a boys nowadays join so they can ride frug counter expecting to light in the a horse cross-lots, pack a pair of lap of luxury. In the last outfit we sold there wasts three men that knew which end of a mule to put the collar on. But they'll learn. Nature's with 'em, and so am I. God supplies 'em with all the fresh air and sunshine they need, and when they want anything else they come to Old Blaze. Ain't that right, Paloma?"

"Yes, father." Puloma Jones had developed wonderfully since Dave Law had last seen her. She had grown into a most whole some and attractive voting woman, with an honest, humorous pair of brown eyes. During dinner she did her part with a grace that made watchher a pleasure, and the Ranger found it a great treat to sit at her table after his strenuous scouting days In the mesquite,

"I'm glad to hear Jonesville is prosperous," he told his host. "And they say you're in everything."

"That's right; and prospecity's no name for it. Everybody wants Blaze to have a finger in the nic. I'm interested in the bank, the sugar mill, the bardware store, the ice plant- \$35, the ice plant's a luxury for a town this size. D'you know what I made out of It last year?"

I've no Idea."

"Twenty-seven thousand dollars!" The father of Jonesville spoke proudly, impressively, and then through habit called upon his daughter for verification. 'Didn't I. Faloma?'

Miss Paloma's answer was unexpected, and came with equal emphasis: No, you didn't, father. The miserable thing lost money."

Biaze was only momentarily dismayed. Then he joined his visitor's laughter. 'How can a man get along without the co-operation of his own household? he inquired naively, "Maybe it was next year I was thinking about." Thereafter he confined himself to statements which required no

corroboration. Dave had long since learned that to hold Blaze Jones to a strict accountability with fact was to rob his so ciety of its greatest charm. A slavish accuracy in figures, an arid lack of buggingtion, reduces conversation to the insipidness of flat wine, and Blaze's talk was never doll. He was a keen, shrewd, practical man, but somewhere in his being there was corcealed a tremendous, lansided sense of humor which took the form of a hewildering imagery. An attentive audience was enough for him, and, once low water," her father agreed, 'and his fancy was in full swing, there was Lewis' land runs back from the Rio no limit to his outrageous exaggera-Grande in its old Spanish form. It's tions. A light of credulity in a heara natural outlet for those brush-coun- er's eye filled him with prodigious try ranchos. But I haven't enathing mirth, and it is condified if his listen-against Tad except a natural dislike, ers ever derived r fraction of the He stands well with some of our best minuscioni from his fabrications that Bespie, so The probably wrong. I uses the binaself enjoyed. Falonal's spirit of contradiction was the only fly in was old enough to "keep books" on blin, much of the story-teller's joy was denied him.

Of course his proclivities occasion ally led to misapprehensions; chance acquaintances who recognized him as an ariful remander were liable to consider him generally untruthful. But even in this misconception Bluze took a quiet delight, secure in the knowledge that all who knew him well regarded him as a rock of integrity. As a multer of fact, his genuine exploits were quite as sensational as those of lds manufacture,

When, after supper, Blaze had lilliched a pair of driving mules to his buckhoard, preparatory to showing his guest the glories of Jonesville, Dave "Paloma's getting mighty preity."

"She's as pretty as a blue-bonnet flower," he father agreed, "And she runs me around something scandidous I ain't got the freedom of a peon." Bluze sighed and shook his shaggy head, "You know me, Dave; I never used to be scared of nobody. Well, it's different now. She tides me with a Spanish bit, and my soul ain't my own." With a sudden lightening of his gloom, he added; "Say, you're going to stay right here with us as long as

In spite of Blaze's plaintive tone it was priout that he was inordinately proud of Paloma and well content with his serfitom.

you're in town; I want you to see how

Josesville proved to be a typical Yexas town of the modern variety, and iltogether different to the pictured i frontier village. All in all, the effect was much like that of a prosperous, orderly northern farming town. To its happy founder it seemed well-nigh perfeet, and its destiny roused his maddest enthusiasm. He pointed out the Old Pellows ball, the Palace Picture theater, with is glaring orange lights and discordant electric plane; he con-ducted Law to the First National bank, of which Blaze was a proud but somewhat ornamental director; then to the sugar mill, the tee plant and other points of equally novel interest.

Everywhere he went Jones by friends, for everybody seemed to know him and to want to Shake his hand.

"Some town and some body of men, he inquired, finally, and Dave agreed:

"Yes. She's got a grand framework Blaze. She'll be most as big as Fort Worth when you fatten her up."

Jones waved his buggy white in a wide circle that took in the miles of level prairie on all sides. "We've got the whole blamed state to grow in. And, Dave, I haven't got an enemy in the place! It wasn't many years ago that certain people allowed I'd never live to raise this town. Why, it used to be that nobody dared ride with except Pulonia, and she used to sleep with a shotgun at her bedside,"

"You sure have been a responsibility to her." "But I'm as safe now as if I was In

church." Law ventured to remark that none

of Blaze's enemies had grown fat in prosecuting their fends, but this was a subject which the elder man invariably found embarrassing, and now "Pshaw! I never was the blood-

letter people think. I'm as gentle as a sheer." Then to escape further curiosity on that point, he suggested that they round out their riotous evening with a pane of pool. The next morning at breakfast Pa-

loma announced, "Father, you must help Dave hunt down these cattle thieres,'

"Ain't that sort of a big order?" Blaze queried,

"Perhaps, but you're the very man ta do it. Ricardo Guzman is the only person who knows the Lewis gang as well as you do,"

Jones shook his head doubtfully, "Don Ricardo has been working up 1.4: own private feud with that outfit. If I was the kind that went looking for a fight. I wouldn't have paid freight on myself from the Panhandle down here. I could have got one right at home, any morning before breakfast," Ricardo Gazman is something of a

black sheep himself," Law spoke up. "Pshaw! He's all right. I reckon he has changed a few brands in his time, but so has everybody else, Why, that's how 'Old Ed' Austin got his start. If a cowman tells you he never stole anything, he's either a good flar or a bad roper. But Ricardo's going

"He has lost his share of stock." Paloms explained, "and he'll work with you if father asks him. You go along with Dave-"

"Tin too busy," Blaze demurred, "and I ain't feeling good. I had had dreams all night."

"i den't want you around me here this morning. That new dressmaker

Jones rose abruptly from the table. reckon my business can wait. Hostle up. Dave." A few moments later, as they were saddling their horses, he lamented: "What did I tell Here I go, on the dodge from a dressmaker. I s'pose I've got to live like a road-agent now, till something

happens" Don Ricardo Guzman was an American, but he spoke no English. An acddent of birth had made him a citizen of the United States-his father having owned a ranch which lay north instead of south of the Rio Grande, luasmuch as the property had fallen to Ricardo, his sons, too, were Yankees in the eyes of the law. But in other respects Don Ricardo and his family differed not at all from the many Gurmans who lived across the border. The Guzman ranch comprised a goodly number of acres, and, since live stock multiply rapidly, its owner Lad in some sort prospered. On the bank of a resace—a former bed of the Ric Grande-stood the bouse an adobe structure, square, white and unprotected from the sun by shrub or tree. Behind it were some brush corrais and a few scattered mud Jacals, in which !

lived the help.

Ricardo had fust risen from a slesta when his two visitors rode up, and he them welcome with the hest he bud. In the cool of the afternoon Ricardo rodo with his visitors, and then, cordful relations being now fished, he began to divulge information of value to Law,

Yes, he had endured many depresenthors from thieves. It was shameful, but doubtless God willed that a certain amount of stealing should go on in the world. The evildners were certainly favored by nature, in this tocallty, for the great expanse of brush country to the north and east offered almost perfect security, and the river, to the south, gave lumunity from pursult or prosecution. The beeves were driven north into the wilderness, but the horses went to Mexico, where the war had ereated a market for them, The federals had plenty of money to huy mounts.

Whom did Don Rienrdo suspect?

The old man was noncommittal. Suspicion was one thing, proof was quite another; and conviction was difficult under the best of circumstances. Why, even a cow's recognition of her own calf was not evidence for a court, and alibis were easily proved. Unless the thieves were caught in the very not there was no case against them, and-por blost-one could not be forever on guard. Who could tell where the malefactors would strike next? Now, in Mexico one could afford to kill on undestrable neighbor without Don Blearlo was not a Mexican. No, he was a good American citizen. It was something to make him sleep well in these war times.
"Just the same, I'll bet he'd sleep

beiter if the Lewis outfit was cleaned up." Dave ventured, and Bluze agreed. Guzman caught his enemy's name, and nodded,
"Ah! That sin verguenza! He sells

arms to the Candeleristas and horses to the Potosistus. Perhaps he steals my calves. Who knows?"
"Senor Lewis doesn't need to smal.

He has money," Jones argued.

"True! But who is so rich that he would not be richer? Lewis employs men who are poor, and he himself is above nothing. I, too, am a friend of the reliefs. Panchito, the Liberator, was a salat, and I give money to the patriots who fight for his memory. But I do not ald the tyrant Potosi with my other hand. Yes, and who is richer, for Instance, than Senor Eduardo Aus-

"You surely don't accuse him of double-dealing with the rebels? Blaze

inquired curtously,
"I don't know. He is a friend of Tad Lewis, and there are strange sto-

ties affoat, Just what these stories were, however. Ricardo would not say, feeling, perhaps that he had already said teo The three men spent that evening together, and in the morning Blaze rode home, leaving the Ranger behind for the time being as Guzman's

Dave put in the next two days riding the pastures, familiarizing himself with the country, and talking with the few men he met. About all he discovered, however, was the fact that the Guzman range not only adjoined some of Lewis' leased land, but also was counded for several miles by the Las Palmas fence,

It was pleasant to spend the days among the shy brush-cattle, with Bessie Belle for company. The mare second to enjoy the excursions as much as her owner. Her eyes and cars were ever alort; she tossed her head and shorted when a deer broke cover or a jackrabbit scuttled out of her path; she showed a friendly interest in the awkward calves which stood and eyed her with such amazement and then galloped stiffly off with talls high arched. Law had many times undertaken to break Bessie Belle of that habit of flinging her head high at sudden sounds, but she was nervous and inquisitive, and this was the one thing upon which she maintained a feminine obstinacy.

On the second evening the Ranger rode home through a drizzle that had materialized after a long, threatening afternoon and now promised to become a real rain. Ricardo met him at the door to say:

You brine good fort: senor, for the land is thirsty. To-morrow, if this rain holds, we shall ride together-you, Pedro and I. Those thieves do their stenling when they leave no tracks."

The sky was leaden, the rain still fell in the morning when Dave and his two companions set out. afternoon they rode, their slickers dripping, swaring to the tireless for trot of their steaming horses, their eyes encaged in a watchful scritting

At last Pedro, who was ahead, teined in and pointed; the others saw where the barbed-wire strands of the fence they had been following were clipped. A number of horse and calf tracks led through the opening, and after an examination Ricardo aunonneed:

"There are two men. They have come and gone, with the calves tied neck and neck."

"That is Las Palmes, isu't it?" Law indicated the pasture into which the trail led. Father and son answered, "Si, senor."

For a time the Ranger lounged sidewise in his saddle, studying the country before him. Perhaps a half-nile away a long, narrow patch of woods, with the teps of occasional oaks showing, ran parallel with the feace

They took them in yonder, to brend. he said, straightening him-"Maybe we'll be in time." Side by side the three men rode off

for a considerable distance.

Guzman's land, following the tracks to the nearest point of woods; there Law stopped to give his directions, "Pedro, you ride down this side;

Ricardo, you skirt the outside. I shall keep to the middle. Walk your horses, for I shall go slowly." With a dublous shake of the head Ricardo rode away, while Dave guided Bessle Belle into

CHAPTER VII.

A Ranger's Horse. Onward through the dense foliage the two friends wound. Now and then they stopped to listen, but the rate was heavy enough to drown all other noises. Encountering fresh tracks finally, Dave leaned from his gone perhaps half a mile when Beste Holle raised her head, and he noted that her nostills were working sensilively. Law functed that he could detect the smell of a wood fire. Farther ulong they came to a place where the hrush was low, and there, rising through the treetops beyond, he saw a

wavering plume of blue smoke. The Ranger rode late sight of the branding five with bin repeater across life saddle born and life thumb upon the hammer; what followed came with almost the blinding suddenness of a lightning enish. there was the picture of a sandy glade, in the center of which burned a fire



Head His Own Gun Leaped to His

with branding from in H, and a spotted calf tied to a tree, but otherwise no sign of life. Then, without warning, Bessie Belle threw up her head in that characteristic trick of hers, and standtaneously Dave saw a figure rise out of the grass at his left with a ride leveled. With the Brst Jerk of his herse's head his own gan had leaped to his shoulder-ho was not conscious of having willed it to do so-and even as he pressed the trigger he felt Bossle Belle give way. The next instant his feel, still in the stirtups, were on the ground and his horse lay between them, motionless, That nervous fling of her head had saved Dave's life, for the rustler's bullet had shattered her skull in its flight, and she lay prone, with scarcely n muscular twitch, so sudden had been her end,

For a moment the Ranger dazed. He stood stating down at his pet; then the truth engulfed him. He realized that he had ridden her to her death, and at the thought he became like a woman bereft of her child, like a lover who had seen his sweetheart slain.

A shout-it was a hoarse, fuartienlate cry; a swift, maddened scrutiny that searched the sodden scene of the ambush; then he was down beside the mare, calling her name heartbrokenly, his arms around her nock, his face against her warm, wet, relyet hide.

Law knew that two men had entered the thicket, and therefore one still remained to be reckoned with, but he gave no thought to that. From the corner of his eye he could see a pair of boolsoles staring at him out of the grass, and they told him there was not need for investigation. the body he heard the call stirring, but he let it struggle.

Besste Belle's bright eyes were glazing; she did not hear her lover's voice. Don Ricardo and his son burst ent of the brush from opposite directions almost at the same find the Ranger with his face buried la bis horse's mane.

"Caramba! What is this!" The old man flung bimself from the saddle and came running. "You are injured?" Pedro, too, bent over the officer, his brown face pale with apprehension. "Mother of God!" breathed the latter, "It was a wild thing to do, to ride

"I'm all right." Law said, rising whereupon both Mexicans voiced their relief.

"The saints be praised!"

Pedro uttered a foud cry.

"Si! What happened? There was a shot! Did you see nothing? Law jerked his head in the direcion of the fallen man at his back and

"Look!" Father and son ran throngs the grass, then recoiled and broke into a jargon of oaths and exclama

"Right in the mouth! The fellow was in death before he realized it." "See! It is as we thought, Pedro; one of Lewis'! Tse! Tse! Tse! What a sight!"

"Who is he?" queried the officer. "Pino Garza, one of the worst!" chimed the two Guzmans, Ricardo was dancing in his excite-

"I told you that Lewis knew something. The other one got past me, but I cannot about like—this."

It was difficult to secure a connected story from Ricardo, but he finally made it plain that at the first report the other thick had fied, exposing himself only long enough for the old man a quick shot in his direction. Ricardo had missed, and the misere int was doubtless well away by this time. He had ridden a sorrel horse, was all Ricardo could remember.

have haided only briefly at the greeone results of his markemanship then be turned back to the body of his beloved there. Ricardo noticed at length that he was crying; as 04 Ranger knelt beside the dead 04oughbred, the old Mexican whispers

to his roat "Valgame Dios! This is a strate. fellow. He weeps like a woman. He must have loved that horse as a ma loves his wife. Who can understand those gringos?" After a time he ap-

proached cautiously and inquired; "What shall we do with this leading senor? Pedro has found his hursa Law roused blimself. With his mag-hunds he gently removed Bessle 1879. anddle, bridle and blanket, then be

gave his orders, "I'll take your horse, Ricardo, and you lake-that fellow's. (let a wagen and move him to Jonesville."

"And you?" "I'm going to follow that man on the

The dead man's suddle was left to stile the hody; then when the

change of mounts had been effected and all was ready, Law made a request that numzed both father and en "If I'm not back by morning, I was you to bury my mure? His vol., broke; he turned away his face. "Buy her deep, Ricardo, so—the coyata enn't dig her up; right where she fall

I'll be back to see that It's done that Understand?' "Buenot I understand perfoct, She was a pretty horse. She was jour -hontip, eh? Well, you have a higheart, senor, as a brave man should have. Everything shall be done ou wish; I give you my land on it. Bleardo reached down and gripped Law's palm. "We will name our pre-

you leved her dearly. So, then und follorrow," Law watched his two friends als away, then, with a miserable ache has throat, he mounted and role of to pick up the trail of the man on the

ture for her, too, because it is plats

sprret pony,
The fellow had ridden in the direction of Las Palmas, which Dave judget tion of Las raimas, which three judged must be fully twelve fuller away, and when they continued to maintain the course the Runger because doubly ty-terested. He risked his own interpre-tation of the rider's intent and pushed on artificial massing to search out or on without pansing to search out the

on without pairsing to search out the trill step by step. At the second gate the signs indicated that his man was little more than an hour ahead of his. The prospect of again seeing the raddy-halred mistress of Lus Poling officeal Law more decode than be constirred Law more deeply than he caref to admit. Novertheless, he was unova-fortably aware that she had a hea-band. Not only so, but the sharp cotrast in their positions was disagreeable to contemplate; she was unbelievably rich, and a person of laffuence to the state, while he had nothing except his health, his suddle and his horse-

No; no horse now, she was good The mist and an early dusk prevented him from seeing Las Pulmas lisef until he was well in majorg the irrigated fields. A few moments later, when he rode up to the outhubling. he encountered a middle-agosi Mexicaa who proved to be Bentto Gonzalez, the

Dave made bluself known, and Benito unswered his questions with apparent honesty. No, he had seen noting of a serrel horse or a strange rider, but he had just come in himself. Doubtless they could learn more frem Juan, the horse-wrangler, who was somewhere about.

Juan was finally found, but he proved strangely recalcitrant. He siintited that he had seen a horse of the description given. Probably it be longed to some stranger.

Dave changed his factics, "Oiga!" he said, sternly, "Do you want to go to jail?" Juan had no such desire, "Thea tell the truth. Where is the borse

Juan insolently declared he diday

Juan insciently decisted he mea-know and didn't enre.

"Oh, you don't, eh?" Law reached for the boy, and shook him until he yelled. "You will make a nice little prisoner, Junnito, and we shall find a way to make you speak."

Gonzalez was inclined to resent such

high-handed treatment of his underling, but respect for the Rangers was deep-rooted, and Juan's behavior was Inexplicable. At last the horseloy confessed. He had seen both horse and rider, but knew neither. Mr. Austin and the

stranger had as rived latter had gone on. That was the "Bueno!" Law released his prisoned who slunk away rubbing his shoulds.

"Now, Benito, we will find Mr. At) tin. A voice answered from the dust: "He wou't take much finding," and Ed

Austin bluself emerged from the stable door. "Well, what do you want?" "You are Mr. Austin, I reckon?" "I am. What d'you mean by abus

mas approached so near that his threatening scowl was visible. "I don't allow strangers to prowl around an premises." Amazed by this hostile greeting, law

ing my help?" The master of Las Pal-

expisined in a word the reason for his

"I don't know anything about part man. What d'you want him for, and who are you?" Dave introduced himself. "I wan blin for stealing Guzman's culves. 1

trailed him from where he and his partner cut into your south pasture. Benito stirred and muttered an orabut Austin was unmoved. you must be a bad trailer." he language "We've got no thieres here. makes you think Guzman lost and

calves?"

Dave's temper, never too well controlled at best, began to rise. He connot imagine why a person of Ed Attin's standing should behave in this extraordinary monner, unless, perhaps he was drunk. "Well, I saw the calves, and I left

the fellow that was branding the with a wet saddle blanket over "Eh? What's that?" Acsua start

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"Don't enough to skin. I caught him with his from in the fire and the calves necked up in your pusture. Now I want his companero,"

"I-hope you don't think we know anything about him," Ed protested, "Where's that man on the sorrel

Austin turned away with a shrug. "You rode in with him," bave per-Fisted.

Ed wheeled quickly, "How do you know I did?"
"Your boy saw you."

The ranchman's voice was harsh as he said: "Look here, my friend, you're on the wrong track. The fellow I was an the wrong track." with bad nothing to do with this af-

with bad nothing to do with this affair. Would you know your man? Ind you get a look at him?"
"No. Bot I reckon Don Ricardo could tell his horse."
"Homph!" Austin grunted, disagreeably. "So just for that you come prowling around threatening my help, eh? Trying to frame up a case, maybe? Well, it don't go. I was out with one of Tad Lewis' men."
"What was his name?" Dave managed to inquire.

aged to inquire. "Urbina. He had a sorrel under him,

but there are thousands of sorrel horses," "What time did you meet him?" "I met blie at noon, and—I've been with him ever slace. So you see you're

wrong. I presume your man doubled wrong, i presume your man doubled back and is laughing at you."
Law's first hewilderment had given place to a black rage; for the moment he was in danger of disregarding the reason for "Young Ed's" incivility and

giving rein to his passion, but he checked himself in time. "Would you mind telling me what you and this Urbina were doing?" Austin langued mockingly. "That's my business," said he,

Dave moistened his lips. He hitched his shoulders nervously. He was aston-lahed at his own self-central, though the restainty that Austin was drunk helped him to steady himself. Never-theless, he dared not trust himself to врелк.

Constraing this silence as an acknowledgment of defeat. Ed turned to go. Some turdy sense of duty, however, prompted him to fling back, care-

"I suppose you've come a good ways. If you're hungay, Benito will show you the way to the kitchen." Then he walked away into the darkness, fol-lowed by the shocked gaze of his range boss. Benlio roused bimself from his

amazement to say, warmly; "Si, compadre. You will enjoy a cup of hot coffee,"

But Law ground out fiercely; "I'm not used to kitchen band-outs. I reck-on I can chew my bridle reins if I get too hungry." Walking to his horse, he vacited into the saddle.

Renito laid a hand upon his thigh and apologized. "Senor Pd is a strange man. He is often like this Intely. You understand me? Will you come to my house for supper?"

"Thank you, but I think I'll ride on to Tad Lewis' and see Urbina."

At this the Mexican shook his head as it apprehensive of the result, but he

faw he stated as he was about to spur out of the yard. "By the was," he sentured. "you needn't mention this to Mrs. Austin."

"She is not here," Conzulez told him, "She has gone to La Feria to see about her affairs. She would not permit of this occurrence if she were at home. She is a very fine lady,"
"Yes, Good oight, Renito."

"Good night, senor."
When the Ranger had gone, Gonzalez walked slowly toward his house, with his head bowed thoughtfully.

"He is very strange," he muttered, "How could Don Eduardo have met this Carza of noon when, with my own eyes. I saw him ride away from Las Palmas at three o'clock in the after-noon? It is very strange."

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All at once the siceres and tall of the clerk's coat began to stick together. Then they became wings, his clothes changed to feathers and his goloshes

a bird and was much amused to watch bimself. 'Now I am dreamingl' be

changed into a lark be teft bis poet's nature behind him, for the magic go. loshes could go oull one thing at a time.

""I'lls Is nice enough," he A A Schoolbay Tossed a Cap Over Him. finally decided. Thuring the day I can sit at my desk and do a clerk's duties, and when alght comes I can change into a bird and

him and a large object was thrown disht over him. It proved to be a hig cap that a schoolboy had tossed on him. A hand crept under the cap and clotched the cierk by the back and

You impudent youngater! I am a clerk in the police department?

"But to the boy it only sounded like peep-neep, and so he bit the clerk across he beak and walked off with

bim through the dark.

met two logs from the upper class at school. Ther bought the lark for ten pennies, and so the clerk got back to

one falls into the hands of hoys. No telling what they will do with me."

LUCK IN AN AIRPLANE.

Saved an Army Aviator,

An officer want out on a hombing expedition and seet a German machine. In order to save weight he had left him small arms behind him, but he thought it was a pity to pass by a good target, and so he decided to drop a bomb on blm. But dropping a tomb on a swiftly moving mark is not the same as firing at a fixed point. So he missed the German. Unfortunately for him, he also exposed blusself to the fire of the enemy and received a rife bullet in the

To be strictly accurate, the bullet struck his trousers pecket, hit a five franc pie e, broke itself and the coin and distributed the asserted pirees of

metal about the lower part of his body Feeling that he was badly hit, the pilot shut off his engine and divel for the ground from a height of about 6,000 feet. When he was a thousand feet from the ground he expled some acroplaces in a field, and, not knowing whether he was over German or French territory, he made up his mind to land among the aeroplanes, certain that if they did happen to be German machines he would be well treated by the firing

completely lost consciousness, but in a perfect landing right alongside of a British motor ambulance. So well did he land that for some minutes no one troubled about him. When they did go to look they found a badly wounded affect in a state of collapse.

He was promptly put into the ambuhance and sent off to the hospital. There it was found that the bullet had cut a large artery and that the pilot would have bled to death in a few minutes if the bullet had not also cut a muscle, which had sprung back and wrapped Itself like a piece of elastic round the artery and formed, as it were, an automatic teamignet.

The Secret Elopement

He-We had best close about 2 in the morning. I will bring my motor to the next ormer, and- She - Oh. us off, and I don't like to keep them up

as brooks make rivers, rivers run to

[Adapted Prom Hana Christian Anderson.] COON as the children had locked the

them: "A police clerk was once walking through a beautiful park. He happened to have on some euchanted goloshes, but We did not know it. Bo when he wished himself a poet he linmediately became one. He started in to talk about the flowers and Mrds and sweet sir. He saw beauty in the water that a little boy splanhed up with a stick and passed a whole hour day dreaming.
"Just then a lark arose from the park

"Just then a lark arose from the park grass, leaving a lovely burst of song behind him. 'Flying is such a delightful thing,' cried the young poet—'that is, if you are born to it! Now, if I could ever be a bird I should like to be just like that lark?'

"Of course the magic goloshes began to get in their work at that remark.

"The clerk saw himself changing into

eried.
"Up into the branches of a

tree he flew with a song. But there was no toetry in the song, because when he

fig about like a lark in the park gardens."
"Then he flew down into the grass. twisting and turning his head about among the fail blader, which seemed almost as high as Norway pines. All at once it began to grow durk around

wings so lightly that he began to peep.
"In his terror the Cerk called out:

"When he came to the arende he

Corenhagen, his home. He was then taken to a house on Goth street.

"It is well that I am drenming," said the clerk to himself. 'First I am a met, and now I am a lark. But it's miserable business being a bird when

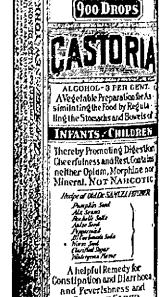
Enricus Bit of Good Fortune That

Many an array aviator owes his life to miraculous good fortune, like the British airman whose escape is de-terilised in "Tales of the Flying Serv-

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ing trip with a fashionable party to Florida." "Yes. I told him he was making a mistake to go on such a fixhing trip."

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big andience at the banquet last ther notice. The paper is wrong. I did not appear."
"Um. I guesa the paper is right."-

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It is a mighty poor drafted man that cannot trump up some excuse why he him to; years.

New they are refer. Plattsburg, and propose to elem it up. If half the reparts that reach us from that raral New York town fore time, it reeds lit. Hereplan Dariels Letter take a squint, that way. He he's done, in his own cottingtion, such wonders in Newport,

It is sold that the largest corn and petitio ecop over ridsed is promised this. crop. This is an encouraging feature ! of this year's planting.

According to the Weather Observer at Block Island there were but reven clear days in the month of July, eight partly cloudy and sixteen cloudy. The 80° and the lowest on the 10th, 58° . The average for the month was 687, which was about an average for July for the last forty years.

Massachusetts has recently passed a law prohibiting the sounding of bells, herns and other similar contrivances making a harsh and unceasonable noise. This is a step in the right direction and should be adopted here. The "harsh and unreasonable" auto borns sounding at all hours of the night are enough to drive people into insanity,

The Unions now threaten a nation wide strike and the stoppage of all government work unless the demands of the Carpenters Union for a closed shop on Government contracts are met. This strike would delay needed work indefinitely and if the Carpenters Union demands are met thousands of deserving men will be thrown out of employ-

In spite of reports to the contrary. Block Island botel men are finding this : gitory, pretty good season. The National Hotel, one of the most popular on the Island, has been full for some time and is toopsing many guests outside. Other hotels are doing well, and the season will average up well. The botels have been considerably fourdisapped by the false reports but here been sent out from these

The force fell which has been a shore, rock to months between the pur bouses at Congress and the President lons for v. begot, bassion, sagroup, and beg-room a few. The bid, gives the Presitheid the proceed by has demography. Nonlet us sor if he will use it in the also violates if steeped the property me office of now administrator, which the President will appoint New bern C. Shower. Provides for portrol of feed, from fertilizer and farm equipment. Trobiblis the use of foodstaffs in the monufacture of distilled beverages. Probibits immortance of dischief. spirits for hoverage purposes. These privers the President to communicer for military purposes distilled digages for a held in bond and to regulate or restrict. use of foods in wine and boet.

Here are some figures that are lateresting. They show the trend of this Administration toward the South, Bush-January the Liministration made an estimate of the population based on the consus of 1918. There was then no first in sight so, presumebly, the South was given approximately her just juppladion. In July the census of all the States for draft purposes was taken. That census in every Southern state fell far bedied the government estimate and in the Northern states it exceeded the estimate. Here are some of the figures which are suppositive t

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The Farm Bureau.

The week with the farm-bureau has found the plans for alfalfa fields going ahead. Some eight or templots are to be started in different farms in the county and it is hoped that in this way the farmer may learn to grow the de-ricel legume. Different varieties of seed are to be used, and alsite, and red clover are to be compared while grow. ing under the same conditions as alfalfa.

Prof. Hugh Van Pelt of lows gave a lecture at the Field Day of the Quidnesset Grange recently, and in it he brought out very vividly the necessity gives and the gram which she receives. He said at the present price of grain that he felt it was more necessary to "let the cow talk to you through the society. Then every representation of the second of the se scales," than ever before. He emphasized the necessity of giving the cow a should not go to war even if it is, as in six weeks' rest before calling and durmost cases, a poor one. Many a man ; ing this posied to feed her well so that assigns as a reason as dependent, wife, i when the bitoler period comes, she will wher in fact, the wife has supported the in the best possible condition to give year, it routing unexpected happens the maximum rank flow is reached, between now and harvesting time. In When this point is reached the ration some of the Southern states, the corn should be decreased at the same rate crop will be worth double the cotton until the corn will just hold this maxi-

highest temperature was on the 31st, i difference of one hundred pounds butter

the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and compiled by Herbert F. Sherwood. It contains a carefully compiled list of the historic spots reached by | the New Haven road, and is illustrated by many unusually attractive half-tone cagravings. It presents in a compact and easily accessible manner a complete history of that portion of New England which lies along the New Haven ter-

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MIDDLETOWN.

Hev. George W. Manning gave the fourth in bis sectes of patriotic talks upon "The Soldler in Golf's Army," hast Sunday evening at the M. E. Church, cutlited "The Free We Fight," On next Sabhath the evening service will be under the passibles of the Epworth League, Mrs. Fred A. Smith conducting the topic "Cowardice Makes Weaklings."

Unleas It shall be decided Sunday to give up the annual picuie on account of the diplitheria epidemic, this event will occur on Wednesday, August 15, at Bethshau-in the-Weeds. Mr. Pred P. Webber, Superintendent of the Sunday School, will have general supervision, the trackens will be in charge of the refrechments and Rev. Mr. Manning, Mr. Webber and Mr. Harold. Peckham will conduct the profits.

The attendance last Sunday at the churches was somewhat below the average, owing to the spread of the diphtheria, which seems to be breaking out in all parts of the town. The Berkeley Memorial Chapel is discussing the practicability of postponing its some uncertainty the protect the first last seems uncertainty should be the first last seems uncertainty should be the first last seems uncertainty should be the first seems uncertainty should be the first last seems uncertainty should be seen as some uncertainty.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.



WASHINGTON, D. C., Ang. 10. Last bulletin gave forecast of disturbance to cross continent August 10 to 14, warm wave 9 to 13, cool wave 13 to 17. This will be rather quiet in and west of the Rockies but It will increase in force and importance as It progresses easts wast. It will be a great and langeous storm out on the Atlantic from 18 to 21 and will probably reach Europe about August 23 or 24. The week centering on August 18 will not be a good time to go heat riding. We see no particular good that alorn can do except to stir up and purify the atmosphere. It does not pumifice rain where tain is needed, but does promise rain in Canada, where not racked.

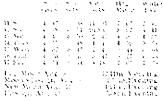
All which now can be destroyed will reduce the extent of the pest next year.

Miss Denethy Champlin Teckham has as guest for this week Miss Gladys.

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Under the auspices of the Middletown Bone Economies Chib, Miss Gladys L. Meleche, of the Dopartment of House Economies at Kingston College, gave an instructive demonstration on Priday of last week in the dining-regon of the M. E. Charelo on the 'vone period' coldpack method of canning vegetables, Literature describing the methods was also distributed. The second lecture, this week, and support furths.

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FOR BUSY READERS

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of New England

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William J., Bliev, 18, was drowned

Marchie Picchie, on arlater, was

Robert Warwick, 12, of Salisbury, Mass,, was drivined while swimming in the Merrimse river.

Planets J. Murphy, 68, of Wo-

burn. Mass., was found dead on the

John Toomey, 35, a farm hand, was struck and killed by an automo-

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killed by being struck by a freight

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nages, a half hollday weekly and

Dr. Frank H. Whilney, 80, a re-

thred velocinary surgeon, was killed at Lexington, Mass., when our over

Fire in the plant of the Baer Brox.

company, Standopt, Conn., makers of paints and bronze powders, caused

A total of 6000 Pittsfield, Mass.,

housewives have pledged themselves

to serve one wheatless meal a day and

John J. Polan, an employe of the Water Baker mills. Poston, fell a short distance from a stopladder in the mills and died immediately.

Abraham Weiner of Brockton,

Mass., died at the use of 108. He

boasted that he had nover known a

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Charles Willey, 58, a farmer, was struck by lightning and instantly kuled at Benton, Me.

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Hills D. Vanner, 16, was drouged

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at Hingham, Mass., while bathless.

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tractice coeys band, Hoy, Horace B. Baskell, pastor of Tribilly church, Montgeller, Vi., bas accepted the presidency of Beave, college, at Peacer, Pa.

Edward Corcoran, 15, who was a good swimmer, became culumpled in weeds while awimming at WakeBold Mass., and was drawned,

Losing control of a moine even which he was driving, Affred Cate 22, crashed into a post at Lowell. Mass., and was instantly billed, Custave E. Rydin, an overseer in

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road tracks near that city, thought be fell from a freight train. Herbert Wentworth, 56, freasure, and general manager of the Skowbe-

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Every American saldier wears a metal identification tag which la normbernd to correspond with his name, company and regiment, so that if he is killed or wounded there will be no trouble in Identifying him.

HEAVY INFANTRY ACTIVITY

About to Be Launched in Flanders Russians Check Teuton Drive

London, Aug. 10.-On none of the halliefronts of Europe has the fighting activity of the past twenty-four hours been marked. In Flanders, however, the great artiflery hattle continues most violently, seemingly preparing the way for further heavy infantry activity.

Apparently checked greatly the Austro-German advance in Galicia and finkowina, as no actable advances have been made by the Tentons since the forestan line atidened.

To the south, in Maldavia, the Russians and Roumanians are attempting to reaccupy the positions north of Forehant lost to Field Marshal you Mackensen's men. They have allacked the Austro-Hermans with strong forces, but Berlin says the affort falled,

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Tafe's Condition "Not So Good" Clay Centre, Kan., Ang. 10.—The one Milita of Cormer President Taft. who is ill at a hotel here. was auequated is "out as good is resterday." While he lid not consider the Claess langerous the physician forda le callers.

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FOOD BILL SOON **BECOMES LAW**

President Will Probably Sign the Measure Tuday

PASSED BY SENATE, 66 to 7

Economic Questions of War Placed in Hands of President and Will Quickly Be on Way to Solution if Airna Are Carried Out-Hoover Will Be Food Administrator

Washington, Ang. 9. President Wilson has zon his stiencous fight for full government course of food and other new conting of file, during the period of the war, which he in-titled fast May. The two bills comprising the administration's foul leg-Islation program will probably be struct by the president on Friday and Jeroma Jaw. By the profishes of one of the

Mils the president all have practi-tally absolute control of the produc-Con, transportation, distribution and the prices of finds, forts, fertilizers, form equipment and other meessle Hex of the throughout the United States. It is one of the most drawin) pieces of legislation ever enacted by the congress of this nation.

At the same time that he affixed his signature to the food bills, the president will appoint fierbest C. Hoover to be food administrator of the United States, and will fesse the executive orders that will put the lexfalation into operation.
The so-called food control bill,

over which one of the most bitter fights of years has been waged in congress, particularly in the senate. finally passed the last stage of legislative enactment in the upper branch of congress at 4 o'clock yesterday affernoon. The rote was on accepting the conference report on the fill which had previously been approved by the house. The rate in this sen-ate was 65 to 7.

The seven men who voted against the measure at this float class were: Hardwick, Hollis, Reed, France, Gronna, La Foliette and Penroso.

Senator Gore, Berocerat, and Senalor Sherman, Republican, were both paired and dhi not vote. Soth announced that, had they been at 11herty to vote, they would have regis-tered themselves against the bill.

Immediately following the final vote on the food control bill, the senate also approved the conference report on the first administration fond bill. that which provides for a food survey and an appropriation to stimulate food production. Final action on this measure was by also see yole.
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Directs president to commandeer spirits in bond or stock for war pur-

Appropriates \$19,000,000 to enable the president to buy and sell fertilizer to farmers.

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NATION-WIDE TOUR IN BEHALF OF WAR

May Soon Be Undertaken by Members of Congress

Washington, Aug. 10.—Congress may turn fixely into a great Chautau-qua when it finishes work here, to enlighten every section of the country on the need for prosecuting the war visorously, not only as a war for world democracy but as a fight for American right and preservation.

Provident Wilson blusself may "do lds bit" in the same direction, possibly by a speech on some occasion or by a letter to congressional lead-

Congress leaders are talking of virquiets out to express outline stomp by asking every representative and eventor to go through his district der-Ing the revess, speaking on the part of the Pulted States in the war until emphasizing that the Called States is Bighting for the future of theelf.

NATION'S POTATO CROP

It Will Reach 167,055,000 Buchels, According to Official Estimate

Washbigton, Aug. 10. One beated of politices extra for every man, woman and child in the country duc-ling the next year is provided if the putato crop flyes up to the department of agriculture's August crop estimate.

Leon M. Estabrook, chief of the estimates bureau, forerasted a crop of \$67,000,000 bushels -{00,000,000,000} more than the average, and 104,-000,000 above fast year.

Tida is Estabrook's prescription for homewives to utilize the crop as a part of the light against Germany:

"All housestées should use potatoes so far as possible as a substitute for breadstuffs. Preserve the pointons for winter use by borne storage. These measures will use the polatoes to advantage and save wheat

GERMAN PREPAREONESS

Von Buefaw's House in Rome Has Secret Tunnel to Hotel

Rome, Aug. 5.-The sensation of the day here is the discovery of a secret subterranean passage from the residence of Prince you Buclaw, the former German ambassador, to the Hotel Edear, the former proprietor of which was a German

A Is believed the passage was used to facilitate secret incertage between the diplomat and persons in various walks of life, as well as to haute securecy to the ambassador's sugars when the occasion required. An tavestigation wideb probables interest. ing disclosures is under way.

Friendly Aliens May Join Army Washington, Aug. 7: The real x of the nex national army were opened formally to friendly other; as not in-General Crowder communicated in the Real relation Learns directs that all such affect who makes their clouds or community to product

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Washington, Aug. 10 - The may decartment placed orders for 1,637,-500 people of control pineapple for the Attracti fact and east coast many yards and staffine. Orders for a similar rigidy for free west const

Killed by Scratching Bite New York, Aug. 3. -As the result. of scratching a mosquito bits on the Frown of his beed, br. A. A. Green.

Befuse to Marry Slackers Philadelphia, Ang. 8.—Ministers in this city are refusing to officiare for Young men attempting to escape the army draft through marriage,

Baby Eight Months Old Had Itching Rash Since Birth on His Face, Neck and Back. Two Cakes Cuticura Soap and One Box Uintment Healed

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The Romance of a

Barefoot Boy who Rose to Be the Leader of America's Army in France in the Great World War•

Bob Simmons laughed at Johnny on account of it. But Johnny ears Bob

won't laugh any more. They do say Johnny made him holler 'quit' in just a few minutes. I reckon I don't want

Johnny to fight, but if he must fight

CHAPTER II.

"Soldier, Lawyer or Schoolteacher?"

CO, studying and working-and

Oghting sometimes—until be was

Pershing grew and grew until he out-

grew the little village school in La-The little store paid well

enough to warrant the expenditure of

noney on John's education, and a fam-

ily conference resulted in the sending

of him to the normal school at Kirks-

ville, one of the noted schools in that

part of Missouri. Throughout the

years which he spent there-years of

happiness, with plenty of hard work at his books and plenty of outdoor rec-

reation—the idea of becoming a law-yer persisted in the lad's mind. Many

a time he spoke of it to have out

friends, and it seemed that he would

surely become an attorney after pass-

ing through the stage through which

so many of our American country bred

lawyers have passed that of school-

"Mother," said he one day on one of his visits home from Kirksville, "I've

been appointed teacher at Profrie Mound, I feel as though I ought to do

something now to help dad and you. So I'm going to teach school and try to

earn enough so that I can study law.

I did want to be a soldfer, but I don't

believe there'll ever be mnother big

war, and I don't want to be a soldler

all my life unless I can see active

lively lit of fighting before he had been a schoolmaster very long.

"Billy," said he one day to one of his bleger purils, "did you study your spelling less"n?" "No, and, I nin't nego-in' to," was the sullen reply of the bir boy. The entire class booked up with

lowed "hefore them all at revers that day that he was thed of "Johnny Pershing's bullyin" and he was "go-

in' to show him that a teacher isn't

"Why not?" asked the teacher

"'Cause I didn't feel like it," was

'You'll stay after school and study

it?" The words of judgment came with

a snap from John Pershing's square

"Won't, neither!" said Billy. And in

a moment, as the teacher reached for

his collar (this was long before the

days of "moral suasion"), there was a

lively mixup in the country school; but.

of course, the teacher won, and the

thoroughly thrashed and cowed Billy

Next day the school had a visitor.

He was Billy's father, and every bair

in his red side whiskers bristled with

anger as he drove up to the school.

From his mouth came a stream of

curses on Johnny Persbing. He'd

show him whether he could lick his

army revolver. It looked pretty se-

rious for Johnny Pershing. The young

fellow did not scare. In a quiet, even

take off your cont and fight like a

'Get off your horse, put up your gun,

With all his bluster, the man was not

a caward. He accepted John's invita-

tion, and there was the finest scrap

ever seen in that part of Missouri,

John was then only a lad of seventeen

or eighteen, but he whipped the grown

"John," said Mr. Pershing to his sor

one day not long after this fight, "Mr.

Burroughs is going to appoint a young

man from this congressional district to

West Point. You've always had a

soldier. Why don't you try for the appointment?"

"I'll do it. father," sald John. "I an

sure I can pass the examinations if

Mr. Burroughs will give me permission to try. I'll go and see him teday."

So "Towhead" Johnny Pershing wen

to call on Congressman Burroughs and

obtained his permission to enter the

examination for the great, wonderful

dilitary academy at West Point which

and turned out so many famous sol-

diers. It was a narrow squeak for

John, since he won the appointment

by only one point. A difference almost

sent another man to "the Point," and

come a city lawyer instead of a gen-

CHAPTER III.

An Officer In the Army.

WHETHER a man remains in the

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tone he said to the angry farmer:

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Soldier or not, John was to see a

"little Johnny" no more, Johnny

BY CHARLES N. LURIE.

father. You know, father kept the Un-CHAPTER I lon flag fixing here when some of our

Little Johnny Sees the Soldiers. neighbors favored the south, and it seems Mr. Simmons spoke about it and ITTLE Johnny Pershing peered, around the end of the work train. "Dad," he called, his shrill child's voice sounding above the "thud, thud, thud!" of the picks wielded by the construction gang, "oh, dad, kiu I stay from school today? Company H is cola' to have a drill, and I want to see he might as well do it defending his own father."

John Pershing, construction foremin, wiped the perspiration from his brow and climbed down from the embankment where the new side track boy laid his hand on his shoulder and naked. "What does mother say?"

"She told me to run over and ask Well, if mother don't say no, go

ahead."
With a whoop of delight and evidently anticipating his mother's consent, little Johnny ran for home as fast as his little bare brown feet would carry him. His mother stood in the doorway of the nest little white cottage. She smiled, knowing that father had followed the usual plan of "leaving it to mother,"
"Father says I kin stay if you don't

care, mother. Please let me see the soldlers drill!"

"Well, I guess one afternoon from school won't make much difference, and you do love to watch the soldlers, don't you, Johnny?"

"I sure do, mother." "Well, 'get your face and hands

weshed and come in to lunch." After lunch Johany bled to the vil-lage square of the little town of La-

clede, Mo., and took up his point of vantage on the band stand, where he could see all operations.

The drill over, Captain Johnson, at-racted by the keen interest with which the barefooted little urchin had followed every movement, said, "Well, sonny, what do you think of my sol-

diers?"
"They're pretty good drillers, cap-tain; but they don't step out smart enough."

"By Jove! Right you are, boy! That's just what I was a tellin' them. Are you going to be a soldier when you grow up? "That's what I want to be, but dad

cays he has other plans." "Maybe he'll change his mind when

you get big, sonny. Plans don't allus work out as expected."

But even little Johnny Pershing's way back there in Missouri in quietly. the sixties, were not formed with posi-



LITTLE JOHNNY SEES THE SOLDIERS DRILL

tiveness, as is the case with the plans of 50 many youngsters. True, he wanted to be a soldier. What live lad in the years just after the civil war did not have his thoughts fired by the stories of fighting in the great struggle? In his dreams he saw himself leading desperate charges against the enemy? But he also had dreams of lawyer and standing, like Daniel Webster or Henry Clay, with one hand thrust into his coat, moving judges and juries with his elequence He and his mother and father just knew, of course, that Johnny would make a fine lawyer, because he always stood well in his studies in the town

"Mother," said the elder Pershing one day, "I feel I'm getting a bit too old to work on the road much longer. Old Brainard passed me on the street today and stopped to that with me. He wants me to buy out his general store and thinks I could make it pay. What do you say?

After much planning between Mr. Pershing and his wife and weighing of possibilities the step was decided upon. and Johnny Pershing's father became a merchant. Johnny's part in the matter was that of active partner-very active, indeed, for to him fell the work of assisting in the store after school and runaing on such erraiels as were not beyond his strength.

"Johnny's a good boy and helpful to reral. father and me," said Mrs. Pershing, "but sometimes it is a little hard to get him away from his books. Seems like he wants to spend most of his time studying. But I recken he'll grow up well, for he can run and jump as ell as any of the lads hereabout Fights sometimes, too. Why, 'twas only last week that he pitchel into that Simmons boy for making fun of

general's stars or whether bo leaves the service before he even flulabes the course at the Military academy, he never forgets the day that sees him carolled at "the Point." It is one of the "days of days" in his life. It is all so new and strange and there are so many rules to be observed and customs to be learned and things to be eeen that it is like beginning a new life. Many a country fad enters the academy raw, green and untrained, and if he has the pluck and staming. mental and physical, to finish the course be emerges a finished product—"an officer and a gentleman"-fit to command men.

So it was with John Pershing. But he did more than finish the course; he went through it with honor. He was graduated as senior cadet captain, which means that in military affairs he ranked above all his classmates. Others topped him in some of the atudies which make up the curriculum at the United States Military academy, but it was his voice that rang out the commands for his classmates on



HE BECOMES DIE OF WEST POINT'S MOS DARING HORSEMEN.

the widespread and beautiful parade ground on the proud day when the endels were reviewed by the secretary of war. This was in June, 1886, and John became Lieutenant Pershing. United States army. He was then twenty-six years old.

He had been home to visit the "folks" during his furlough after he had been at the academy two years. | High Washington shall hear of this His friends turned out to greet him, of course, and the rest of the town flocked to see blin arrive. It isn't every day that a man from West Point arrives at a little place in Missouri, and every one wanted to see as soon as possible what two years of Uncle Sum's training had done for Johnny Pershing. They were not disappointed. He had left Laclede a tall, wiry, young fellow, without any especial distinction; he returned a well set up; strong chap, showing in his bearing the results of the rigid training of the gymnasium and fields. He had already the assured bearing of a military man. He had become a wonderful equestrian, riding anything that the academy held in the line of horseflesh. He was always first to get away when the bugles rang out the notes of the

Of course John's first day home was given to his folks. No one else could take the first bappy hours of the young man on furlough. But the second day found him wandering in the fields and woods with his boyhood chum, Charley Spurgeon. ,

There was so much to tell about the life at the academy! "Tell me," said Charley, "what do you think about Charley, "what diffe in the army?"

"I don't think I'll stick to it," said John, "although I'll try to finish the course at the academy. I think I'll have to go back to my original idea of studying law. This country is at peace now, and it's going to stay at peace. There won't be a gun fired in the next hundred years. The army is no place for me in peace time. I'd start in as a second lieutenant and I'd get to be a first lieutenant only when the first Rentenant died, and so on through all the grades. I'm older now than most of the men at the academy, and per-baps I'd be no higher than a colonel when the time came for me to retire. I believe the world is going to be too peaceful in the future to make the army look very promising to me as a

But Lleutenant Pershing found plenty of work to do as a soldier and that, too, soon after his graduation. The Apaches and other wild western tribes were often on the rampage, and the soldler ordered to the western plains and mountains and messa had hig work cut out for him. Pershing in the tavalry the branch of the service most often used against the redskins, got his share of the hard work. It did not always mean fighting, however. Often there were polarers with the chiefs and matters could be settled without bloodshed.

Even in those early days Pershing showed the quick thought that distincuished him in fields for removed from western states. Army men tell with delight how one day Pershing was sent by his commanding officer to attend a council of Navaho braves. It was a holiday, and the redskins were amusing themselves with games and athletic contests.

One of the braves spied the tall, ath letic figure of Lieutenant Pershing. He walked up to the soldier, "Hub?" he said, following it with a

long string of Indian gutturals. 'He says he wants to wrestle with the big white man," said the inter-Tell him," said Pershing, "nothing

He's too dirty. 'All right," was the Indian's retore "If I'm too dirty to wrestle with I'll run him a foot race. All he'll have to do is keep ahead of me."

"Race him, Jack," said Lieutenant Grayson. "It's up to you to uphold the bonor of the white race." Can't be done. You know my ankle Is still weak from that sprain."

So the rate was run and was nearly lost by Lershing. About ten feet from the find it line his make gave way and

he rolled over in a heap. But his presence of mind remained upright, and with a mighty effort he gathered bimself up into a ball, turned a somersault and landed across the line a winner.

CHAPTER IV.

Fighting and Studying. So the years go for Pershing in the west. There is some fighting, much marching and drilling, with official commendation for duty well performed. But promotion lags. The call of Blackstone and Kent still tries to lure him from the profession of arms, but it is not until 1893, when he just completed a year's term as military instructor at the University of Nebraska, that he wins his degree of bachelor of laws. He has put in all his spare time in the study of the He will make a good lawyer. for his keen taind is used to reasoning out closely the problems that confront him. But he has spent eleven years in the army, including the four years as the Military academy, and it is hard to break away from long associations. He will remain in the service for awhile at least, he thinks. His men think well of him, especially the colored troopers of the Tenth cavalry, in command of whom he has acquired the sobriquet of "Black Jack." He has served as an instructor at the military academy. In the meantime his belief that the

United States will never become involved in another war is in a fair way to be disproved. For a century or more the black cloud of revolt has hung over Cuba and the Philippines, and the severity of the Spanish gov-erament in the "Pearl of the Antilles" has evoked protests from the United States. Then come the destruction of the Maine, the fevered debates in congress, the declaration of war, and every regular army officer is burning to get into the sernp in Cuba. Of course "Black Jack" Pershing was one.

It is on the day & El Caney, one of the hottest fights, of the short war, that the colonel of the Tenth cavalry turns to his orderly. "Who commands those troopers there on the right?" he asks

"That's Pershing sir!"

"By Jove, I thought so! He's the man! See him go up that hill! I've been through the civil war and I've j seen men under fire many a time, but. on my word, he's the bravest and coolest man under fire I ever saw in my

And Washington did hear of it, to such good effect that Lieutenant Pershing, now major of volunteers, went to the Philippines when that bunch of unruly islands needed cleaning up. In the meantime he had shown his fine administrative abilities as organizer and first chief of the bureau on insular affairs. It was bard work, almost like setting up a new department of the



HE FIGHTS AND DEFEATS THE SAVACE MOROS.

government, and many a time Pershing could be seen nights in Washington stretching his walks for miles and miles toward the outskirts of the city while he wrestled with the problems that confronted him. But he "made as he had done in everything he undertook since his boyhood days.

"I have heard of these new white men who have come to our lands to take the place of the Spantards," said Datto Banchane of most intimate friend. "They are better fighters than the Spaniards, it is said. But they cannot prevail against us. Are not our krisses and barones sharp enough to cut them up? Have we not the great prophet with us, who promises us everlasting bilss bereafter if we die killing the dogs of unbelievers? Let them come!"

"I have heard of these Moros," said "Black Jack" Pershing. "They're tough customers. But they've got to obey the laws and stop their fighting now that our Uncle Sam is their new 'overlord.' I think we can clean them up, eh, Bill?" And Lieutenant Brewster, his friend, nodded and said, "You

The days were very full now for Pershing and Brewster and their men and all the other Americans who were erying to instill lawabiding ways into the flerce Moros. It was a hard task Some said that it was impossible. They had to fight not only against the savage Moros, but against a treacherous climate, ill suited to the white man, even though he is able to take all possible care of himself. But when the white man has to do his fighting, now in swamp and juncle, now on the sides of steep mountains, now in the hot tropical sunshine and now in the cool of the evening and the deep tropical midnight against a brave, will, fanationl enemy it is not to be won-dered at that the fight dracced on for years. Even men like Pershing, back ed by soldiers brave as any the world ever produced, could not be expected to

CASTORIA For Infants and Children

complete the job hi a short thine,

The smoking room of the Army and Navy club in Washington was well filled when the hewa came that "Pershing had done it weeks". "What do you had done it ngain." think of 'Black Jack' Pershing?' asked one member of another. "Jefferson" been up at the secretary's today, and the old man told blin that Fershing's not only cleaned up the Moros, but has got the blooming heathen to elect him one of their chiefs. What d'ye call those chiefs? Say, Brown, you've been up against the Moros. What do they call those chiefs of theirs? Oh, yes; Much obliged. We're got a daito among us now, boys. Pershing's a datto. Datto Pershing sounds well,

docsn't it?" And at that minute in the far away Philippines Captain Pershing-he had his two bars on his shoulders nowwas walking through a Moro village with brown skinned Moro maidens atrewing flowers in his pathway. Was be thinking of the flowers and the homage that was being paid to him? Not a bit of it. He was rehearing in his mind the passage from the Koran which he was going to spring on Datto Bangbong to heighten still further that dusky chieftain's respect for bim!

Wily Pershing! He has had the wit to see that these people can be pacified as well by getting inside their minds as by shooting civilization into them. He has done his share of shooting, with extraordinary courage that is to bear extraordinary fruit in Washington. Twice he went after the Moros-in 1901-3 and in 1911-13.

CHAPTER V. Making a Record Jump-Romance and Tragedy

THE news of Pershing's promotion to brigadier general thrilled Wash-ington and sent a wave of astonishment through the nation. From cap tain to brigadier general! Over the beads of 862 senior officers jumps the man who was once undecided whether he should become a lawyer or a soldler. Unprecedented jump and one not to be repeated, in all likelihood, in the history of the American army, But the former soldler in the White House has followed with admiration and perhaps just a bit of envy the wonderful work of the soldler in the Phillupines.

"I've just got to promote that man. Taft says the law won't let me make him a major or a colonel. What shall I do with bim? By Godfrey, I've got it, I've got it! Hello, hello, give me Secretary Taft at once. Mr. Taft does permit the president of the United States to make a general officer of any officer in the United States army? It is your opinion that it does. Good! Have your man make out a commission for Brigadler General John J. Pershing as soon as you can, send it over to me, and I'll sign it at once. Goodby."

"Miss Warren," said Major Lampson at/a reception at the home of Senator Watten of Wyoming, "will you permit me to present my friend Captain Persh-

"I am delighted to meet Captain Pershing," said Miss Frances Warren, "I have heard of his work in Cuba and the Philippines and have desired to congratulate liim."

This was the beginning of the romance in the life of General Pershing, a romance that was destined to end in deepest tragedy. Miss Warren was young, beautiful and a belle in Wash-ington society. Her father, senator from Wyoming, was one of the leaders in the national upper house. She had heard the work of Captain Pershing lauded by the senators when President Roosevelt made the captain's record part of an annual message to congress. So, like Desdemona, she "loved him for the dangers he had passed."

They were married on Jan. 28, 1905. Three daughters and a son were born to them, and then came the end in August, 1915. In a fire at the Presidio, San Francisco, Mrs. Pershing and the three little girls were sufficiented. The son, Warren, was resmod. General Persbing was then stationed at El Paso. After a few days of bilter grief be returned to his work in the army, more silent than before, with his face deeply graved with lines of sorrow. Only the boy and his army career re

Again a crisis faces the United States In relation to Mexican affairs. There have been many serious situations in the past three years, but none quite as had as this. Villa has broken loose, has raided Columbus, N. M., and has spilled American blood shed in defense of the little border town. He has awent through Chihuahua, struck his blow and got away in the night. All America is aflame with the cry for venge-ance. "Get him alive or dead?" rings the cry from one ocean to another. Washington turns to Funston, in command of the southern department "Send your best brigadier, take whatever force you think needed. Get him over the border as soon as you can. Wa've got to get Ville!"

"Orderly," says Major General Fun-sion, "tell General Pershing I desire to see bim at once!"

In a few minutes the little red headed man from Kansas and the tall, gray haired, sun browned soldler from the neighboring state of Missouri are in deep conference. The sentry has orders to admit no one. There is work to be done across the border, and Funston, obeying directions from Washing ton, has hit at once upon the man to do it. It is Brigadier General Pershing, the veteran of fighting in Cuba, in the Philippines, the man who served as military attache with the Japanese army in Manchurla during the gigantle struggle with Russia, the ab dier, diplomat, lawyer, student of languages and international affairs

The president wants you to 'get' Villa," says Funston.

"When shall I start after him?" says Pershing.

Who can say that Pershing would not have get Villa if Washington, not desiring to make war on all Mexico,

had not called off the expedition? Surely not any army man who knows States, Carranza was litterly hostile,

and Villa displayed the qualities of a will-o the-wisp. No one was more disappointed than Pershing when the orders to return were issued and he, the soldler in Mexico, had to hear them

and obey, The great wer was devastating the world, and America, after more than two years of waiting, was called upon make the world safe for democracy." Foreign countries sent their envoys here to discuss with the president and the government the manner in which America could make its weight tell in the shortest time,

Send us some of your men, that our soldlers may see them at their side and be heartened in the fight against German autoeracy," said Balfour and Joffre to President Wilson and Secretary

We shall send them," said President Wilson, "Mr. Baker, whom shall we send to command our troops in France?"

"Send Pershing," said Mr. Baker. "All America knows what Pershing can do. We know him to be not only a brave, resourceful fighter, but a man of high administrative ability. We must send our French and British allies a man who will be able not only to lead our men in the field and show that he is conversant with the latest advances in military science, but also a man who can manage our soldlers before they get into the builtle line. He must represent us to the French and the British worthily, as we should want to be represented."

"You are right, Mr. Secretary," said President Wilson. "And from what I have heard of Persbing and seen of him he is the man to send."

With absolute secrecy, without the blare of a single bugle note or the roll of a single drum, Pershing sailed for Europe. Not until he landed in Eng-land did the American public know that the commander of the southern department, summoned to Washington ostensibly for a consultation, had left for the European builde front.

From the farthermost Scottish headlands to the Mediterranean coast Britain and France were atlame with interest, excitement and curlosity when the announcement of Pershing's landing was made. "Who is this man Pershing the Americans have sent us?" asked one Londoner of another. "Blessed if I know!" was the reply.

The newspapers ransacked their refrerice departments and scanned their files for material for writeups of Pershing. They told as much as they could about his career, but it was all too little to satisfy the public's curiosity. Then the crowds flocked to learn about Pershing at lirst hand. Seldom in Europe's long bistory has any man received so wonder, if a reception. Here was American aid in the great war, which had lasted almost three years, pre-sented in tangible form in the person of the tall, straight, soblierly figure of a fighting general. The crowds went a fighting general. The cro literally wild over Pershing.

And all of this was expressed in heaped up measure when the American reached Paris. "The deliverer has come! Vive Persbing! Vive Joffre!" rang the cries when the two famous generals appeared side by side in the French capital. "This man has come to France to repay the debt owed to Lafayette, to Rochambeau, to the other Frenchmen who risked their lives that America might be free. They will help to deliver France from the German insaid the crowds, and they rader." cheered l'erablug until the bonlevards

Think Health.

It is not a fear of Bluess or of death that we should encourage, but a love of health, a scare of responsibility for the care of our bodies, a desire for bodily endurance and efficiency and full achievement.

If the mind is fixed on these ideals and the already known means of approaching them are utilized the needless miseries that embitter the lives of so many may be left to take care of themselves.

It is not so much necessary to fight disease as to cultivate health for the bappiness, contentment and moral gain that it brings.

First Use of "Magazine."

"Magazine," properly a storehouse (Arabian), has been annexed by literature, but it is interesting to recall the birth of its now common literary usetleman's Magazine. In the introduc-tion to its number (1731) we read, "This consideration has induced several gentlemen to treasure up, as in a magazine, the most remarkable pieces on the subjects above mentioned."-Lowdon Times,

Her First Journey.

Murgavet, the pears old, was traveling for the first time. She sat as if entranced by the view from the car window. Her father, nothing the rapt expres-

sion on her face as the train sped slong, What do you think of it, Margaret?"

She replied: "Ob, father, it is just like a picture book, only you don't have to turn the pages."-Chicago News.

Dehydrating. Dehydrating is simply what was formerly known as drying fruits and ver-etables. The old method of paries and slicing apples, stringing the slices and hanging them up to dry, although called drying, was really dehydratics. -New York Sun.

Took It to Herself.

"She's a yain girl. There is no mirror handy, so now she is looking at the barometer."

"How will the barometer cater to her "It says, 'Fair.' "-Louisville Courier Journal

History Repeats Itself. 'Can't say that the world is getting a bit smarter," asserted granden. "Mf granden asks me the same stlly ques

tions that his father usked at his age. But He Did.

Teacher-Bobby, give an example of

the double negative. Bobby-I don't know none.

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When Ice Covered Europe. During the long tertiary epoch, when oposiums disported themselves on the ilte of Paris and mastedons tramped along the valley of the Thames, the earth was in the throes of mountain making. The Alpa, the Himatayas, the Aleghenies, the Andes, artest the Syste of her activity in those days. At their termination our continents stood reasts the state of the freatly higher than they do now, and this aided their glaciation, although it dies not fully account for it. But as they became loaded with ice Europe and America gradually and we may tenture to say contemporaneously tank. This was inevitable. Owing to the extreme beat and pressure prevaillog in its interior the earth is an emiheatly elastic body. Its surface ne-tually bulges in or out with a very light increase or decrease of the load

Austria's Black and Yellow.
The Austrian black and yellow were the colors of the Holy Roman Empire. Der were adopted, so the story goes, by Frederick Barbarossa, whose funcy Fas captured at a ceremony in May-tica by the Data and a flooring of e by the black and gold flooring of

A SYLVAN THEATER

National In Its Scope, It is Dedicated at Washington.

A WOMAN THE ORIGINATOR.

American Theaters Daily Reach More People Than All Schools, Churches, Libraries and Art Galleries Combined-The Government Backs It.

Recently in the Monument grounds, Washington, and to the accompaniment of the United States Marine band, was inaugurated the National Sylvan theater. The pageant was opened with three scenes, "The Birth of the Branon," "The Degradation of the Drama" and "The Triumph of the Drama." The degradation of the drama occurred in England about the middle of the diffeenth century. At this time the stage as a profession had sunk to a very low ebb, and actors were considered human beings of the most degraded order. It is about this time



MRS. CHRISTIAN HEMMICK.

also that there is a record of the first actress who ever uppeared on the stage, women, prior to the fifteenth century, being forblidden by the church to participate in theatrical performances of any kind whatsoever.

The pageant chosen for the inauguration of the National Sylvan theater was written by Mrs. Christian Hemmick of New York city, who was supported by a number of chinent American players and despite the state of the state can players and by many people promi-uent socially in Washington. Said Mrs. Hemmick of her theater:

"The government supports every form of art but the drama. It encourages and supports public libraries, it maintains art galleries, it has even gone on record as appropriating money to support music. Witness the United States Marine hand in Washington

"The drains, the greatest of all these arts in the scope of its appeal, has been neglected by the government. The theater itself is one of the most potent factors in American life and reaches more people daily than all the schools, churches, Ilbraries and art galleries combined. These facts, of course, are driven home to anybody who has ilved abroad and has seen the support and recognition the drama receives from

continental nations,
"Aside from this aspect of the thea-Aside from this aspect of the thea-ter it must not be forgotten that the stage has always proved a most power-ful medium for the exploitation of pa-triotism, konor, counge, self sacrifice and the nobler virtues of life.

"This is where the National Sylvan theater really comes in and where a government owned theater will be of inestimable value to public life, morality and education in the future. Just as the government, through public Hbraries, public art galleries and public bands and orchestras, educates and up-lifts the great mass of people to what they should read, see or hear in the realms of literature, art and music, so must the government eventually recog nize the fact that through the medium of the stage it must contribute to the public the right sort of dramatic entertainment, which will go a long way in shaping national thought, conduct and morality."

A new fur which is making quite a bid for favor is a species of American marten. It is a long balred poit of pellowish gray mixed with dark brown, The darker polts are preferred. A new dye applied to rabbit fur will be intro-duced as a fall novelty. Very brilliant linings are used in fur garments, with topedal favor to printed saling and crepes de chine. Frequently a strip of velvet or a handsome ribbon is applied along the inside of the opening. Exk adds richness to the lining,

Capes the Thing. Capes are to be worn as much for fall and winter as they have been for spring and summer. Already the heavfer ones are appearing. Never before probably, have there been really warm er uisters than these cape coats promise to be, with, in some cases, two thicknesses over the back and arms. Navy blue will continue to be the most

popular color.

A cartman charged with overloading his horse was asked how heary a load he had on his truck. "About a ton," he replied, "but it was all light stuff."— Roston Transcript. replied, "but it we Boston Transcript.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

FALL TIPS.

Collars Alb Veering Over Into Tailored Effects Now.

Have you noticed the collar changes on dresses and suits? They are decidedly different from the big sailor and capuchin effects that have finished gowns, fashionable and otherwise, for the past three or four seasons-that is, when the collar has been permitted to exist at all.

Those collurs that have thirdly made their way back are parrow, trig and mannish when a component of the trot-teur or tailleur. As the garment becomes more conspicuous it flattens out, assumes greater breadth and inclines to the ornate,

Up to the present moment there eems no place in the revised scheme of fashlon for the halfway collar. It must be small, after the manner of the shawl or tuxedo collar, or large, like the muslin neckpieces featured in the por-traits of women painted by Rembrandt, Front U.S. on Painted

Frans Hals or Rubens,
Those that follow the Dutch idea may be of satin, then or cloth, preferably the first named, with here and there an exception in favor of fillet lace.

exception in two or of mice ince.

It may be that there is some relation, speaking in a tailored sense, between the neat tuxedo collar on the little frock of saths or serge and the mannish saflor hat of pineapple straw with its band of polka dot or striped silk. Or the adoption of kinkt uniforms by women in government employ may have

women in government employ may mave its influence in shaping the neck fulsh of new gowns and suits. However this may be, it is certain that the present is a transition period in style accessories as they have to do with collars.

as they have to do with confirs.

It is something of a relief to see the narrow collar. It is a part of the low ent, crossover from of dresses of serge or sath, and, according to the depth of the opening, there may be introduced. the plastron of satin or linen cut ofther high or low. Usually narrow cuffs re-company such a collar.

REAL STYLE.

lan't This Turban the Jauntiest One You've Seen?

wine colored chip built like a boat is crowned by a mass of wine col-ored asters to give this smart, dressy



turban so useful for many occasions. Banding it is black velvet ribbon tied in a saucy how exactly in front,

CLEAR SOUP,

The Way to Make It Like a French Four pounds of shin of beef, two pounds of knuckle of year. Cut the

meat off the bones in places about a quarter of a pound each and break the thatter of a point each and break the bones in four or live pieces. Have ready your stock not, put into it one ounce of butter, let it just warm, then place the meat at the bottom of the pot with the bones. Let this fry very slowly for one and one-balt hours, turning the meat two or three times till it is nicely browned. It must not and the pot must be kept covered. The bottom of the pot should be covered by a rich, thick gravy. Now add to it five quarts of boiling water, let it boil, then throw in a teacupful of cold water to accelerate the rising of the seum. If this op-eration is repeated three times it should make a clear consomme

Have ready two carrots, two turnips, two onlons stuck with two cloves, one head of celery, two leeks, one ounce of sait, a fagot of horbs weighing about one ounce, consisting of pursles, thyme, marioram and tarragon. Put these all in the soup and allow it to simme four or five hours. Strain and leave to cool for use. When cold, carefully remove all fat. The meat from this stock bear another addition of water, about three quarts, and will boll again for common soup.

Bean Soup.

One and one half cupfuls cooked navy beans, two teaspoonfuls chopped onlons, six cupfuls water, one teaspoonful celery salt, two teaspoonfuls lemon juice. sait and penner.

Mash the beans and put with the onion, celery salt, seasoning and water in a saucepan. Simmer for thirty minutes. Strain if desired. Add lem-

on juice immediately before sarving.
If you like a rather thin bean soup you will enjoy this one. Do not forget the lemon julce. It adds much. The soup costs only a few cents per serving when made with canned baked beans.

Death.

Death opens the gate of fame and thuts the gate of entry after it; it unloosens the chain of the captice and puts the bondsman's task into enother man's band.—Sterne.

Virtue is not left to stand alone. He who practices it will have neighbors.-

In the Arena of Sports

A Sterling Ball Player

Johnny Evers, lately captain of the Boston National league team, but now guarding the keystone suck for Pat Moran's Phillies, is one of the most famous players in the game. He is a sative of Troy and made his debut in



JOHNNY EVERS.

the big league in 1992 as a member of the Chicago Cubs. He played with the Cubs from then on, helping them win two world's championships. In the spring of 1914 he went to Boston and again was a factor in winning a world's pennant. Evers is now thirty-four years old, but is still considered a great player.

Willard Wins Court Fight.
Justice Hendrick of the supreme court of New York dended the application of Jack Curley for an injunction against Jess Willard, champion prize-fighter. Curley wanted him enjoined from appearing with the Jess Willard Wild West show until the expiration of Curley's contract with Willard in September. Justice Hendrick said Willard is responsible in an action at law for damages, and there would be no profit to Curley in keeping the champion from enrolling additional money this summer.

Star Runner in Army.

Don M. Scott of the Mississippi Agricultural college, the national half mile champion, is now an officer in the United States army. In the hig meet at Newark last your Scott spreadeagled his field in 1 minute 54 seconds, and the performance was note-worthy as being the fastest half ever run for the American champlouship.

Various Ways of Using Cornmeal In the Diet

Include commeal in the diet and learn to like it. The qualities of corn-meal have been underestimated, in the opinion of Mrs. Mary P. Van Zile, dean of the division of home economics in the Kausas State Agricultural college.

Bolted commeal is now client as compared with other cereals. It costs about half as much as wheat flour, only a third as much as rolled onts and a fourth as much as rolled wheat.

Cornment has a high food value. Although the bolted ment does not supply so much tissue building material as wheat flour, it does supply more starch and fat. The unboited commeal, which is of good Bayor and is preferred by many, has more tissue building material as well as more starch and fat than the wheat flour.

For a long time pellagra was supposed to be contracted through eating commeal. Scientific investigation has proved that this is false, and there is no danger from eating ordinary quan-

Comment can be used successfully in a variety of ways. As a breakfast ce real, fried mush, corn bread or as corn griddlecakes it is a success from a hutritive as well as an economic stand point. A satisfactory bread may be made by using one-ball wheat flour and one-half commeal.

FROM THE PERSIAN.

When the least useful part of % the people have the most credit & with the prince men will conclude that the way to get every-A wise prince will not oblige his courtlers, who are birds of prey, so as to disablige bis people, who are beasts of burden.

It a prince does not show aver- # sion to knaves and deceivers they will deceive till they ruin bim. A prince who praiseth others & too soon is in danger of repenting it too late.

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"I have looked over this girl Will is

so crazy about, and I tell you she won't "Oh, yes, she will, if anybody asks

her."-Baltimore American. Glory, ambition, armies, fleets, thrones, crowns-playthings of grown

children-Victor Hugo.

POULTRY AND EGGS

GEESE GOOD GRAZERS.

Goose Raising Not Affected by High Priced Grains-Little Care Needed. Geese can be raised in small flocks on general farms, on pusture or nonpro-ductive land and do not require any material amount of grain. Low, rough pasture land, used for pasturing other stock and containing a natural supply of water, offers the best conditions. Many goese are kept in the south to kill weeds, especially in the cotton fields, and their use could well be greatly in-creased for this purpose. They are good grazers and will do well on grass and forego crops alone, except during the winter months, when they may be fell largely on available roughage, such as clover, alfalfa hay, sllage, cabbage, mangel wurzels or any waste vegeta-bles. If the grass or forage is limited

it may be supplemented by light feeds of common or home grown grains. Geese do not used shelter except during cold winter weather, when open shods may be provided. Goslings are anous may be promised. Comings are not usually hatched until good pasture is available and need additional feed only for a few weeks. The range of pasture used either for goslings or for geese should be large enough so that the grass will remain clean or the stock should be moved frequently to fresh land. Coops, barrels or some other dry shelter should be provided for the young goslings. Geese are very hardy and free from diseases and insect posts.

SURPLUS COCKERELS.

Ration For Fattening Male Birds That Are Intended For Market.

For infertile eggs and for general economy in poultry production cocker-els and pullets are separated as soon as they are large enough to distinguish the sex, says the American Agricultur-ist. Under such supervision the cockerels which are not to be kept for breeding purposes are fattened at two or three months of age and marketed. The surplus cockerels are specially fed and upon restricted range accumulate flesh. They are brought to marketable broller or roaster also at an early date and wilhout great expenditure for feed, Under present conditions of costly poul-

Under present conditions of costly poul-try foods this last item is a big one. During the first two months of the cockere's life he may be faltened more rapidly than at any other period. The gain in weight per pound of food consumed is greatest when fattening lirds are not allowed too much exer-

A satisfactory basis for fattening cockerels is commeal and skimmilk



The most ropular and probably the widest known of all American breefs of poultry is the Barred Plymout Rock. The Plymouth Rock do well in confinement and furnish a good supply of big brown eggs. The flock of birds shown are Barred Plymouth Rocks.

Where the cost is not probibilize a sat-isfactory ration may be made of 100 pounds of wheat middlings, 100 pounds of cornmeal and forty pounds of meat meal or beet scrap moistened with milk or skimmik. Another satisfactory ra-tion is composed of two parts bran, four and one-half of cornmeal, one of feed flour, one of meat scraps and a half part of linseed meal. This is moistened with milk or water and fed twice a day in amounts which the birds clean up.

Spray the Henhouse.

The quarters of adult birds should be thoroughly cleaned, sprayed and reno-vated twice annually. Many poultrymen find it advantageous to spray their houses bimonthly, thus insuring greater cleanliness. Any of the coal tar products make excellent disinfectants. They can be purchased at hardware stores in convenient packages. Give the birds clean, comfortable quarters and good results will follow.

Fattening Fowle, No one who has not tried it can imigine how much better a well fattened fowl is they one that is just picked up in the yard in the ordinary condition. Shut in a pen or coop those that are to be killed and eaten and feed a mash food or commeal and tallow for ten days, and the result will be a deliciously tender and Juley flesh, with a flavor that comes of cleanliness.

Onions Good For Chickens, A bit of sliced onlon put in the chick food every day or so has a fine tonic effect and is much relished by the little ones. As they lay no eggs and are not ready for table use, the onion flavor offends no one and helps the chicks.

The Division. Redd-So ther are disorced at last? Greene-Yes; at last. What sort of a division did the

Oh, she got the custody of the car, and he's allowed to look after the mort-gage." - St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

CHICKEN CHATTER

As the chicks grow they need not room. It does not pay to let them crowd.

Tough grass is of no value as a green food. Better sow

quick growing erop. Feed hoppers greatly reduce the

work. If they are kept filled the chicks will never go hangry, If your chicks are not doing well something is wrong. Look out for lice and for worms in the Intestines.

Two-year-old hens had better be sent to the market. They seldom pay for their feed if kept

over a third season.

Grit and oysier shell should be included in the ration for both young and old. To neglect this would be poor economy.

****** BUTTERMILK FOR CHICKS.

Experiment Proved It to Be a Good

Substitute For Mest Scrape. For many years I believed that no form of milk could be successfully substituted for some form of meat in a poultry ration, writes a poultrywoman ! e Farm and Fireside, Until last season I always used a good deal of beef scrap, but having read of the great value of buttermilk as a substitute I decided to experiment. May 15 I took of a hatch of Rhode Jaland Reds to be grown for market. This first few days they were given to



The real Dominique fowl are much like the Legitoria in style and ore said to be one of the others breels in Amedia. They are prelific layers and are splendld table birds. ers and are splendld taute of The cock shown is a Dominique.

drink only very some builtermilk, as I have found this to be an excellent pre-ventive of bewel treathe. Later they laid water also. Their feed from start that water first. Their feed from start to finish was equal parts by measure of comment and wheat bran mixed to a crumbly mass with duttermilk. The first week they were fed four or five times a day a?! It is would clean up.

The battermilk was always all week to stand until the ways always all week.

The butternile was always all swed to stand until the water or whey came to the top. This was poured on and only the frish part used.

At fourteen weeks of age the cockerels went to market, averaging three and one-half pounds, while a buyer who wanted the talk is for layers to upto them he the cheek without cofeliar.

them by the piece without weighing.
They had free range and were always was satisfied with the result.

For many years I started all my chicks on a cake made with equal parts by measure of bran, meal, catneat, middlings and beef scrap mixed with buttermik and baked. I fed this exclusively the first week, then supplemented it with chick feed for two weeks when it was confidented but the control of the co weeks, when it was omitted and chick feed and dry mash were used until the chicks were old enough to have cracked carn and wheat. This method made more work and gave no better results than were obtained in last season's ex-periment. With chicks kept in con-

finement results might be different,
I know of several farmers who are getting good results from hens and chicks having no form of meat food except milk. On one farm an average of 2,000 hens have been kept for many years. These and the chicks raised each season consume the milk from about twenty cows. The owner claims it is far more profitable than if the milk were fed to hogs. In many in-stances the milk is soured, warmed enough to separate and the whey poured off, using only the curd, thus eliminating a large percentage of water.

Lime For the Henhouse.

Not enough importance is placed on the value of good air slaked lime for use in the positry house and on the runs. Properly used, the lime is of great sanitary value. It will counteract disagreeable olors. A free use of air slaked lime on chicken runs where A free use of gapes prevail is exceedingly benefi-cial. Its use no doubt also destroys other germs and bacilit. The wise poultryman will always have a good supply of lime on hand and use it both inside and out of his poultry houses.

Provent Colds in Poultry. As a good preventive of colds in poul-iry use copper sulphate, one couce to ten gallons of water, or enough potasslum permaneanate to turn the water blue. Good ventilation and prenty of fresh air are essential in the hen-house, but one should guard against excessive drafts.

New Experience,

"You seem very patient with shop-pers, young man; don't mind showing the goods."

"I used to canvass from door to door," explained the new clerk. "It's a novelty to me to find people even willing to look at the stuff."-Louisville Courier Journal.

Historical and Genealogical.

Moles and Queries.

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dournal of a croise in the fall of 1780, in the Sloop of war Hope, of Providence, R. L. kept by Solomon Drowne. From R. I. Historical Magazine, July, 1884. Continued.

R. I. Historical Magazine, July, 1881.

Continued.

14th. A sail seen from the masthend; proves a ship; we chase; eath a herring hog, which makes us a fine breakfast and dinner for the whole crew. Another sail heaves in sight; upon a nearer appreach the ship appears to be of the line; several in sight. Towards evening, signal guns heard. We take them to be men-of-war, standing, N. W. by W. Longitude by reckoning 73°, 30°, Lat. 33°, 34°, 26° fathoms. A pleasant moonlight evening; spent it in walking the quarter-deck.

16th. A pleasant day; see a sail to windward; as she rather approaches us we lie a hull for her. I think it is more agreeable waiting for them than rowing after them. Get a fishing line underway; catch a hake and a few dogfish. It being Sunday, try the efficacy of a clean shirt, in order to be something like folks ashore. Give chase, as the vessel contes down rather, slow. On approaching, discover her to be a Snow. She hauls her wind and stands from us; sails very heavy, and Capt. Munro is sanguine in the belief we shall make a prize of her. Get everything in readiness to board her. There seems something awful in the preparation for an attack, and the immediate prospect of an action. She hauls up her courses and hoists English colors. I take my station in the cabin, where I remain not long before I hear the huzza on deck in consequent of her striking. Send our boat for the captain and his papers. She sailed from Kingston, Jamaica, upwards of 40 days since, in a fleet, and was bound to New York; Capt. William Small, commander. She has ten men on board and four excellent four-pounders. Her cargo consists of 140 puncheons, 23 hogsheads, 3 quartercases and succovade augar. Send two prize-masters and ten men on board, get the prisoners on board our vessel, and taking the prize in tow, stand towards Egg Harbour. We hardly know what to do with the prize; the wind shifting a little we stand to the eastward.

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16th. Keep an enatern course, to try to get her into our harbor if possible. Now we are terribly apprehensive of seeing a sail. About sunset a sail seen from the masthead, which excites no small anxiety. Cast off the Snow's hawser, &c.; however, night coming on and seeing no more of said sail, pursue our course. Sound, 42 fathoms of water.

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17th. Strong gales at N. N. W. and very cold. Lat. 40°, 30°. Afternoon—moderates somewhat; take the old Snow in tow again. We expect to bring up somewhere in the neighborhood of Martha's Vineyard. A squall with hair and snow comes up which splits the Snow's jib to pleces. A little bird came on board, rendered quite tame by its long, hazandous flight. Amuse myself with looking over a Quarter Waggoner, taken out of the Snow. Take a drink of grog made out of snow-water. Very heavy squalls indeed this night, with a rough, bad sea; obliged to cast off the dull Snow and let her go her own pace. About 42 fathoms water. Sleep little.

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18th. Boislerous weather atill, a tumbling sea going. Feel qualmish. Lat. 40, 40°. The wind so contrary that we make but slow advances toward our desired haven. Just as I was pleasing myself with the idea of a speedy conclusion to this disagreeable cruise, a sail is cried, which, perhaps, will protract it, if not show us [New] York on our way home. The sail appears to be a brig, and not at anding for us, as we at first apprehended. We chase till night prevents. Lose sight of £the Snow; fire signal guns, show false fires and a jantern, but see no answer.

19th. The Snow in sight this morning, run alongside and take her in tow again. They say they answered our signals, though unseen by us. A pretty bird caught on beard, the Carolina red bird. More moderate weather. Lat. 40°, 30°. At this rate the West Indies will bring us up sooner than Matha's Vineyard or Nantucket. 45 fathoms. Have our pistols hung up in the cabin, to be in readiness for the prisoners, should they take it into their heads to rise upon the watch in the night.

20th. Thick weather, and the wind contrary. Depth of water, 17 fathoms. Surely we must be nigh some land, and were it not such weather, perhaps might see it. Lat. 30°, 59°. A good southwardly breeze last evening shoved us up to this istitude. Here we are, becalmed and fairly lost, for whether we are to the eastward of Nantucket, or between Marths's Vinyard and Block Island, or the last and Montauk Point (a little to the southward of them all) is a matter in question among our seamen. About stract 1 go on board the Snow, at Capt. Small's request, to do something for his rheumatic knee, and see a very sick boy. After prescribing for him, examining the medicine box, giving directions, &c., return to the shoon. sing the prevents. Lose sight of fithe show, the signal guns, show false fires and a lantern, but see no answer.

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21st. Very calm; not a breath to roffle the ocean. How uneasy every one on board is, fearing to lose the prize but, if we can't stir hence, others can't come here to molest us. 14 fathoms of wather, with yellowish, small graves to the family. I do not believe that any of the family who married Amos Greene was the daughter of Danke? Howeles (Wm²) the carried any learning to married and later, to Canuecticut. What is a samuel appears to be the only one store, and the wind of the all is a matter in question among our seamen. About sanset I go on board the show.

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teen days deprivation. It is very disagreeable tossing about in a small vessel at this season of the year. Lat. 41, 17". A pillot comes on board, and soon after souther, but too late. We go in between No Man's Land and Gay-Head, so-called from its exhibiting a variety of colors when the sun shines bright upon it, especially just after a rain. Elizabeth Islands in sight on the starboard side; Cuiddy Hook the west-mest. 10 o'clock P. M.—We now have Seaconnet Point astern, therefore are safe; pass up the east side of Rhode Island. Our men are in uncommon spilits. Anchor about a league up the passage.

22d. Sunday; very foggy; what wind there is, altend; weigh auchor, and out ours; a fair gentle breeze springs from the south; has through Bristol Perry way with hard tugging about the mildle of the afternoon; come to mellor in the lay, but where, tendened uncertainly the fog having come up again. About the beat; being enveloped in an uncernment that if a take a compassand a lantern or isoard, but proceed not far, the smallaces of the beat; and the man the inexpetitues of the rewest seems ming a motion agiteting our commiss become use and the inexpetitues of the rewest seems ming a motion agiteting our commiss become use another agiteting our commiss heroard use, therefore are pind to find the way back to the Hope, which is effected by their fixing a hartern in the shrouls, in consequence of cur raising curst and hading. consequence of our raising ours and halling.

halling, 23rd. Early, after breakfast, we set off again in the least, with the compass, being still surrounded with an excessive being still surrounded with an excessive thick fog; run ashore to the eastward of Nayat Point, and mistake it for Consimicat; however, arrive at Providence at Ho'clock, it having cleared off very pleasant. Thus eads our short, but tedious cruise. At sunset the sloop and Snow arrive, firing 13 cannon each.

SKETCH OF DR. DROWEY.

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The author of the foregoing journal was gradudated at Rhode Island College, now Brown University, in 1773, and after completing his medical studies in the University of Pennsylvania, entered the army of the Revolution as surgeon, serving under Dr. John Morgan, Director General of Hospitals in New York at the time of the evacuation, and for several years afterwards in the Rhode Island Hospital, in Sullivan's expedition upon Rhode Island, and also in Col. Crary's and Col. Atwell's regiments. During the stay of the Count de Rochambeau's army at Newport and at Providence, he became intinate with many of his officers and surgeons, with whom he afterward corresponded.

QUERIES,

In the query numbered 8938, which was printed July 21, 1917, there were mistakes. It should have read as followed

mistakes. It should have read as follows:
S938. Davis. Fish.—In Newport vital records I find the marriage of May Davis and Mrs. Ann Fish. May 23, 1762; and the marriage of Ann Davis, dau of Freserved Fish, and—Smith Jan. 5, 1769. Is Ann Davis, who married—Smith the above Mrs. Ann Fish;—S. M.P.

8044. VERNON.—Samuel Vernon and Elizabeth Fleet were married in Newport, April 10, 1707. Can anyone tell me the full birth dates of their children Samuel, Esther, Daniel and Thomas?

8345. PEABODY. - Joseph Peabody and Sarah Allen were married Dec. 27, 1711. Wanted the full birth dates of their children John, Rachel, Eliza and Sarah. - S.R.A.

Saran.—S.R.A.

S946. SWEET.—John Sweet married
Mary — John died 1637: (Mary,
who married 2ndly Ezekiel Holliman,
died in 1681.) John Sweet, son of John
and Mary Sweet, married Elizabeth
, who was born in 1629, and died
1684. John died 1677. I would like to
know where a copy of his will made in
Newport, R. I., in 1677 can be found.
I would like also to know the names of
his children.—L.C.S.

8947. VAUGHAN - George Vaughan was born in Newport, R. I., June 1st, 1766. This was taken from a Bible record. He married in Newport and had a family. I would like to know more about him.—J.G.V.

SHERMAN.-Robert Sherman 848. SHERMAN.—Robert Sherman and Katherine Taylor were married in Newport, Dec. 4, 1729. Wunted the death date of their son Benjamin. who was born June I, 1737; the birth dates of their daughters Elizabeth and Kutharine; and the birth and death dates of their son George.—E.S.T.

8949. KEENEY.—George Keeney was born in Newport in 1760. I would like to know when and who he married, and his parentage. I would also like to correspond with all descendants, as I am compiling a genealogy of the Kccney family.—F.K.R.

2850. Scott, -Would like ancestry of Joseph Scott (Quaker) of New York, who married in 1738, Sara, daughter of Henricus Van de Spiegel. They joined the Flushing, L. I., meeting in 1749. Is there any connection with the Rhode Island family? Was the marriage to Sara Van der Spiegel a second marriage? Joseph died in Philadelphia in 1782 - E.A.S.

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No. 1663 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

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At Newport, in the State of (Rhode Island, at the close of business on June 2), 1917. Loans and Discounts
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	Real Estate owned other than banking house	2,000 00
	Due from approved Reserve Agents in New York, Chicago and	-1111
	St. Louis	
	Due from approved Reserve Agents in Other Reserve Cities	31.251.36
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	Outside Checks and Other Cash Items 5,72 Sq.	-1
	Fractional Currency	6.941.39
	Notes of Other National Sanks	14,073 00
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	STATE OF RHODE ISLAND.	,
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I, Gen. H. Proud. Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

comen: is true to the best of my knowledge and bellef.

GEO. H. PROUD, Cashler,
Subscribe Land sworm to before me, this 5th day of June, 197.
PACKER BRAMAN, Notary public.

PACKER BRAMAN, Notary public.

EDWARD A. BROWN,
FREDERICK B. COGGESHALL,
WILLIAM H. LANGLEY,

GUARDIAN'S NOTICE

Nowport, August 11th, 13th. THE UNDERSIGNED hereby gives rolled that she ray been appointed by the Probate Court of the rity of New 1th Guardian of the persons and education of

JUSEPH T. BONOVAN and MARGERY DONOVAN

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DESCRIPTION OF SAIL No. port, and has given bond according to law.

All persons having claims against said wards are notified to die the same in the office of the circ of said court within six pionths from the date of the first advertisement berof.

SII-EC MARGARET A. DONOVAN.

Probate Courf of the City of | New 1 ort, July 20th, 1917.

New, ort, July 20th, 197.

Ustate of Bernard Noland

JAMES R. CROWLEY, Guardian of the

person and estate of Bernard Noland, of
full age, of said Newport, presents his first
account with the estate of said ward, for wiaccount with the estate of said ward, for wiaccount with the estate of said ward, for wiaccount with the estate of said ward, for wiferred to the thirteenth day of August next
action of the product Court
Ruom, in said 'Newport, for consideration;
and it is ordered that notice thereof, be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the
Newport Mercury.

DUNCAN A. HAZARD,
1-255w Clerk.

Probate Court of the City of Newport, July 20th, 1912.

Estate of Walker Banks

DATRION H. HORGAN, sole surviving administrator of the estate of Walker Banks, late of said Newport, decreased, presents his first and fond scoupt with the estate of said decreased, for administration contains a claim of tundence, which account contains a claim of tundence, and the same is received and inistration; and the same is received and in forecast to the Sixth day of August next did to Sciock mus, at the Probate Court Room in cased that notice thereof be published for fourteen days, once a week, in the Newport Mercury BUNGAN A. HAZARIU, 7-21-3w Cierk.

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(Continued from 2d column)

m. David Larkin; Deliverance m. John Rabcock; Daniel m. Deborah Carpenter; Reynolds m. Miss Allen; and Hazard m. Margaret — It is said that Hannah Hazard who married Daniel Knowles was the daughter of Jeffrey Hazard called "Stout Jeffroy" but I have never found any proof of this. —B. F. W.

The last of the course of lectures on the Great Preachers of Newport will La given at the Historical Society roung on Touro street, on Tuesday evening need Aug. 11 at 8.15. The address will is by Prof. William J. Hull of Swards. more, Pa., and his subject will be 11. ReligiousSociety of Friends, Common Known as Quakers." These becauses are free to the public.

A pile of lumber belonging to $\mathrm{Dm} \, \hat{\mu}_{\mathrm{sg}}$ & Shele, and temporarily stored at the lower end of Washington street, crasse fire on Wednesday afternoon, and . , the cause of an alarm from box 125. chemical stream was sufficient to tinguish the flames and the recoil : quickly sounded. The damage very slight,

William Burton has taken on apposit to the Superior Court from a sentence of \$10 for over speeding an automotic, on Thames street. This was the comin which the defense was orders from a superior officer.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVE

 $\left.\begin{array}{c} \text{Newport, Sc.} & \text{Shempers office,} \\ \text{Newport, R. L. } & \text{May 15,} \\ \text{A. D. 1947.} \end{array}\right\}$

Newport, R. J., May 15, A. D. 1917.

BY VIRTUE and in pursuance of an Execution Number 247 issued out of the Superior Court of theode Island within and for the Louise of Newport, on the thirteenth day of the Sanaray, A. D. 1917, and returnable lot the Sanaray, and the Court of Newport of Sanaray, and Sanaray, and July, and July, and July, and Sanaray, and July, and Sanaray, and S

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Ecaled proposals for the re-construction of a section of State highway, approximately 15 miles long, tocated upon the Boston Neck Road, so called, between the village of flamition and the village of Saunderstown, in the town of North Kit getown, will be received by the town of North Kit getown, will be received to the state Board of Public Monds, atm. officers and the state of Public Monds, atm. officers and the state of Public Monds, atm. of the State Workship of Public Monds, atm. of the State Workship of Public Monds and the state of the State State of State of State State of St

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